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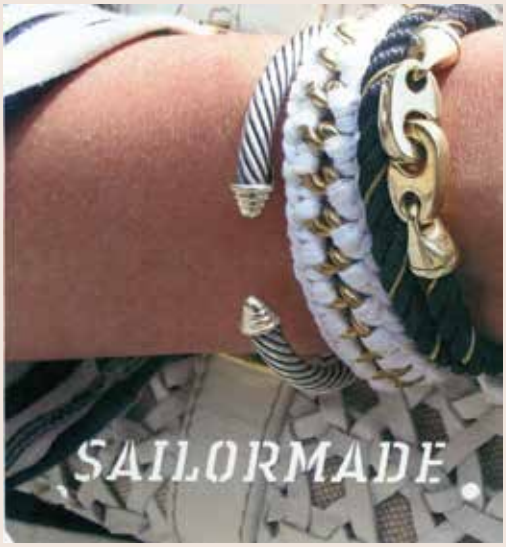


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Destination Imagination Teams Prep for State

By Shawn Badgley

If you thought Massachusetts was left without any teams in March Madness when Arizona beat Harvard in the NCAA Men's Basketball Tournament, you were way off.

After strong showings at the Destination Imagination Cape Cod Regional Tournament on March 13, eight teams from Rochester Memorial School advance to the Worcester Polytechnic Institute this weekend for the statewide competition. Other teams from the Tri-Town participated, as well, but RMS represents the most formidable contingent.

Destination Imagination, incorporated in 1999, is a New Jersey-based nonprofit organization with international reach. Its mission is to teach students from kindergarten to college three skills: creativity, teamwork and problem-solving. Massachusetts ranks fourth in the United States in participation with upward of 800 teams, only 60 of which have qualified for this weekend's competition.

Volunteer Director Tina Rood has overseen RMS's PTO-funded program for eight years.

"It's an amazing thing for me to be a part of, but really just to witness, because the work is all the kids'," Rood said. "As manager, you are there as the adult, the one in charge, and to help your teams with some of the skills, in general. But you cannot help them with the challenges: They have to come up with everything about those themselves. You are there to corral."

The challenges Rood references change annually for Destination Imagination, and they fall into the following categories: Science, Structural, Improvisational, Fine Arts, Service Learning and Early Learning. In addition, each presentation must tell a story that includes a beginning, middle and end.

"They all tie back into core curriculum, while incorporating each other," Rood said. "Obviously, experiential learning is a big part of this."

For the 2013 State Tournament on March 30, RMS's fourth-grade team will present In Disguise – which involves voodoo, Medusa, the Coliseum and a raccoon – in the Fine Arts category; the fifth-grade team will present Twist-O-Rama – wherein the students have built a device weighing 50 grams and measuring 8.25 inches that can withstand 350 pounds and multiple "ram" impacts – in the Structural category; and the sixth-grade team will present Wind Visible – which features kinetic art, wind power and such ambitious stagecraft as a tree fashioned from tomato cages – in the Science category.

The sixth-grade team is a veteran-laden squad and has competed together for four years. They are considered a favorite this weekend, and have already won a Renaissance Award for their exceptional performance.

"Our whole team, we've all been friends throughout the whole thing," said sixth-grader Brett Rood, Tina's son. "We've grown as a team and worked as a team, and every year we've spent our vacations working on this, and we have fun. It's about learning, but it doesn't feel like it. "

RMS parent and Destination Imagination volunteer Jen Kulak agreed.

"This is my first year doing it, and to watch these kids with different backgrounds and abilities transform into a cohesive group that works together, to see their communication skills develop in a just a few months, it's just such a positive thing," she said. "In the competition, everyone supports everyone else."

Kulak added that this attitude starts at the top with Rood.

"Without Tina, there would be no Destination

On the Cover: *A great time was had by all at the Annual Easter Egg Hunt at the Mattapoisett YMCA center on Saturday March 23. Children enjoyed egg dying, dancing, the Ester Bunny and of course the Egg Hunt! Photo by Felix Perez*

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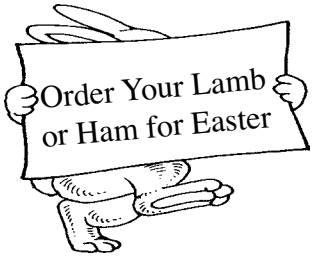
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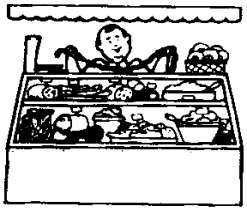
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For her part, Rood said she is looking forward to the atmosphere at WPI's Harrington Auditorium this weekend. The event is open to the public.

"It's a celebration of all of the work that has been done during the season," she said.

As for the students?

Said one team in unison: "The food!"

"The buffet," Rood laughed, "is always a big hit."

Tri-Town Firefighters Train

By Nick Walecka

More than 50 firefighters from Marion, Mattapoisett and Rochester participated in a live training session on Rounseville Road Sunday morning, March 24, at a former two-story residence that is set to be demolished.

"It's the best training we can supply because we can make it the most realistic," Rochester Fire Chief Scott Weigel said.

Weigel said that they've been able to make use of the structure for about a month now, and that Sunday's burn is the last stage of several practice sessions that have taken place there. On Sunday, crews lit multiple fires with hay bales and practiced different fire control and search and rescue scenarios called "evolutions" in the burning, smoke-filled building.

"We try to make the most use of the building that we can," Weigel said. "We've been very lucky to have it."

He also added that at least four or five participants from each town's departments were either in the fire academy or had recently completed it.

"It's great training for them," Weigel said. "This is the time to find out if they're not comfortable doing it."

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The part of Rounseville Road where the session took place was temporarily blocked to through traffic by Rochester police, and Rochester EMTs were on hand to ensure the crew's safety. Several onlookers from the neighborhood gathered to watch the firefighters in action.

Weigel said that the departments get this opportunity to train once a year if they are offered a building. Oftentimes, when homes are scheduled to be demolished, the fire department is notified so that it can utilize them for these practices.

Weigel explained that several steps must be taken, such as checking for asbestos, before a burn on the house can take place, and that the departments need to apply for various permits in order to proceed.



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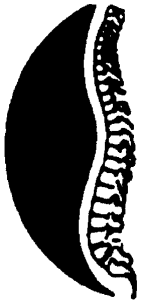
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Contenders File for Marion Election

By Joan Hartnett-Barry

Competition is heating up in Marion in the advent of seven elected town position openings, including a member of the Board of Selectmen. Three positions are unopposed: Assessor, Moderator and a slot on the Marion School Committee.

Polls will open at 8:00 am and close at 8:00 pm at the Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW) Post on Route 6 at 465 Mill Street in Marion on Friday, May 17.

Incumbent Selectman John Henry is running for a three-year term and faces two challengers, William Dale Jones of Register Road and Edwin North of Cove Circle.

Bradford Eames is running unopposed for the position of Assessor, a term of one year.

Incumbent David Titus is running unopposed for Moderator for a one-year term.

Incumbent Board of Health member Albin Johnson III is running for a one-year term with Kerry Reynolds of Joanne Drive opposing.

Two Planning Board positions are open, with three individuals running for the two seats. Jerry Ferrari of Point Road, Norman Hills of Front Street, and Sherman Briggs Jr. of River Road are on the ballot for the two open positions. The position replaces Thomas Magauran,

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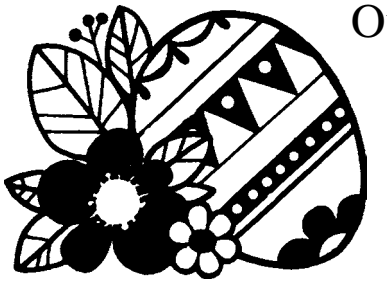


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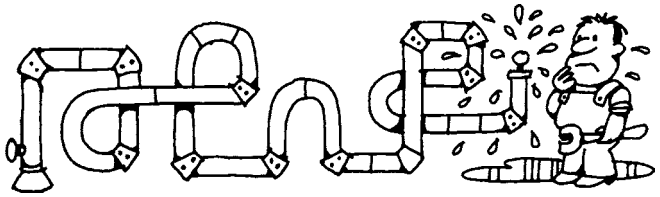
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whose term has expired.

One position on the Marion School Committee is open, with Christine Ann Marcolini running unopposed for the seat left by Brad Gordon, whose term expired. One position is open on the Old Rochester Regional School Committee, with Michelle Ouellette and Linda Harju running to replace Tom Shire, whose term has expired.

Two openings on the Open Space Acquisition Commission are available, with three individuals running, including Geoffrey Paul Moran of Spring Street, John Rockwell of Point Road and Randy Parker of Mill Street.

As of Friday, there was a possibility of a ballot question relating to the purchase of a fire engine and whether the purchase would be part of debt exclusion. There is not yet confirmation of the question appearing on the ballot.

Marketing Mattapoisett

Mattapoisett Board of Selectmen

By Marilou Newell

Mattapoisett's Board of Selectmen moved quickly through a short agenda that was long on good wishes, aspirations and creative marketing opportunities.

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Next came Paul Wildnauer from Greatscapes with a proposal from the Massachusetts Nursery and Landscape Association for the town's participation in a statewide campaign titled "Don't Just Stand There … Plant Something," slated for May 15. This program, which is a joint initiative with the Massachusetts Flower Growers Association, is to help nurseries partner more closely with their communities, providing professional services and plants for public beautification projects. The Board was delighted at the opportunity to have a public location of the town's choosing freshened up with new plantings. It was suggested that the sign near the industrial park would be an ideal location. The Selectmen's office will publicize the volunteer

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Town Administrator Mike Gagne then gave his report. Gagne said that the town had been approached by a television production company to produce a 30-minute show about Mattapoisett. The final product would air over several cable stations for approximately 20 time slots. After some discussion about the benefits such marketing programs could generate for Mattapoisett, Chairman Jordan Collyer noted that the $20,000 commitment required by the town was difficult to accept.

This led to a lively discussion about what could be done in-town versus using outside services to help market the virtues of Mattapoisett and the harbor resource to a wider audience. Such diverse ideas as producing mobile applications, a website for Mattapoisett Harbor, and video clips for websites were all inspired thoughts. Collyer also said that although the town had previously contacted the producers of "Chronicle" about using the Tri-Town area would prove more attractive than just one community. The Fox program "Zip Trip" had been a big success in the past and maybe they could be invited to return. Several of the ideas will be taken up for greater exploration. The Board held that it is necessary to help promote the use of the harbor as a destination point not unlike Martha's Vineyard.

Gagne then addressed his second item: an article for Town Meeting regarding analysis of future facility needs. With a capital needs assessment and master plan done, Gagne offered that the possibility of soliciting expert and professional volunteers from town to help craft the use assessment for the public's review might work well. It was noted that the voters might feel more comfortable with ideas fully fleshed out by fellow townspeople whose knowledge in construction, building materials, engineering and facility use could be key to moving needed projects closer to real development. All agreed that getting experts on board to suggest ways that projects can be done — such as a new Town Hall or Fire Department — is a different approach than what has previously been used.

Collyer commented that a "full vetting of ideas"

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was necessary.

"It is critical to get the right people involved," Selectman Paul Silva said.

The Board then heard from Kathleen LeClair and Kelly Weglowski of Healing Little Hearts for an upcoming road race proposed in town. LeClair and Weglowski said that the group organizes fundraising activities for research done at Boston Children's Hospital on congenital heart defects.

Mattapoisett Police Chief Mary Lyons explained the necessity of the race taking place in October due to the number of activities planned between May and September. The race will be scheduled sometime between October 12 and 14 to coincide with Columbus Day. The Selectmen's office will assist the planners with coordinating Department of Public Works and insurance paperwork. This will be the first time the group has brought this activity to Mattapoisett, where they trust participation will be strong. Their request was approved.

The Selectmen then went into Executive Session. Their next meeting is slated for April 9 at 7:00 pm.

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Marion Board of Selectmen

By Shawn Badgley

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In addition, the warrant includes an article to raise and appropriate — via bonds, notes or otherwise — $3.15 million for implementation of Phase 1A and $112,860 for Phase 1B of the Village Area Capital Improvement Plan. Another article addresses the replacement of Engine No. 3 for the Marion Fire Department, an expenditure of $595,000. The outgoing rig was purchased in 1999.

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"Nothing lasts anymore," said Chairman Stephen Cushing. Nonetheless, he agreed with Henry.

Meanwhile, the Selectmen will ask the town for $2.04 million for the water enterprise fund and another $2.4 million for the sewer enterprise fund; $892,055 for additional salaries and expenses; and $811,219 for debt. These monies can be raised or transferred from already available funds.

Other notable articles include a $150,000 request from the harbormaster for infrastructure replacement, $90,000 for more efficient lighting in school buildings and a $125,000 payment to the Other Post-Employment Benefit Trust Fund established at the 2010 Town Meeting. Town Administrator Paul Dawson acknowledged that this would be one small step in addressing the approximately $800,000 for which Marion is liable, and that the town must take action.

"You can no longer continue pushing out the deadline for that funding," he said. "We're beginning to see other places really paint themselves into a corner."

But perhaps the most controversial item during the Town Meeting in May will be one that does not explicitly involve Marion money. Article 30 asks voters to amend the Zoning Bylaws to add a Section 16 titled Solar, which would set standards and guidelines in allowing for a solar overlay district, potentially laying the groundwork for an array in Benson Brook. The issue is one of great disagreement between the Planning Board, which opposes the proposed bylaw, and the Energy Management Committee, which supports it.

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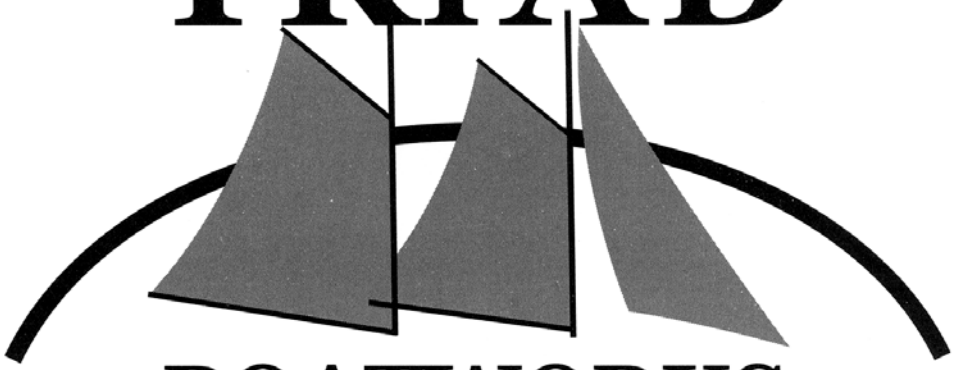
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our carbon footprint and not ignore climate change," Henry said. "But the voters are going to have to decide, which is the way it's supposed to work."

The Selectmen also approved a warrant addendum outlining a special request for an $80,000 transfer in available Treasury funds to supplement the fiscal year 2013 Public Works budget, which suffered a shortfall in the face of severe weather.

Officials Consider EMS Upgrade

Rochester Public Safety Committee

By Shawn Badgley

In what must have been the safest room in the Tri-Town, more than a dozen representatives from the Rochester Police and Fire Departments, the Cape and Islands Emergency Medical Services, the Board of Selectmen, and various administrative divisions gathered on March 21 to discuss a major change for local rescue crews.

Currently, Rochester's EMS and Fire Rescue is designated Basic Life Support, which means personnel is limited to firefighters who work with restricted resources, responsibilities and procedures. For instance, if a Rochester resident calls 911 with chest pain, a local ambulance is neither equipped nor authorized to transport the patient to the hospital. They would have to liaison with an Advanced Life Support-designated ambulance from a neighboring town at some point along the route and release the patient to the ALS personnel.

In Cape and Islands EMS Region 5, Rochester and Nantucket are the only towns that are not currently at ALS level. Local officials are pushing for this to change by way of an article at the Rochester Town Meeting on May 20.

"There are financial matters to consider, but the

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most important consideration is the level of care we are providing people," said Rochester Fire Department Chief Scott Weigel. "I think the townspeople deserve it, and I think the townspeople will vote for it."

The ALS status would bring with it a need for more personnel and equipment, costs that are estimated to come to more than $375,000. But RFD Lieutenant and EMS Coordinator Kevin Richards explained that those costs will be offset by both an equipment grant from St. Luke's Hospital for the town's two ambulances and additional revenue opportunities from a call volume increase and increased billing reimbursements, based on past years' figures.

"There's an opportunity cost right now," Richards



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said. "We're missing out on revenue that could be ours, and yet we're still doing a great deal of the work when those calls come in. ALS status will aid us greatly in these life and death matters, while also erasing that loss of revenue."

Richards cited a 40 percent increase in the number of Rochester ambulance runs since fiscal year 2010 in advocating for ALS status. He attributed the jump to weather, auto accidents and an aging population.

"This year, we had 184 from January to March alone, due mainly to the February blizzard," he said. "We had 65 in that same time frame last year."

Weigel, Richards, Chief Dispatcher Tracy Eldridge and other local rescue personnel were joined by Director Bill Flynn and Deputy Director Alden Cook of the Cape and Islands EMS Region 5, as well as David Faunce, Regional Director of the EMS Council of Southeastern Massachusetts, in fielding questions from Rochester Selectmen Bradford Morse, Richard Nunes and Naida Parker, and Town Administrator Richard LaCamera. The officials foresaw issues surrounding management, labor, questions about contracting private ambulance companies and budgetary concerns, but the consensus was to continue moving forward with the initiative, pending more scrutiny from the Board of Selectmen and the Finance Committee. The next Board of Selectmen meeting will take place on April 8, when the item is mostly likely to be revisited.

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Solar Farm Faces Questions

Mattapoisett Conservation Commission

By Marilou Newell

Blue Wave Capital revealed more about the solar farm planned for Tinkham Hill Road at the Mattapoisett Conservation Commission meeting on Monday night. It was the second board that the applicant has approached with a presentation — having previously met with the Planning Board — as representatives make their rounds in advance of the Zoning Board of Appeals.

About 15 abutters and close neighbors to the proposed site came ready to hear from Richard Charon of Charon Associates, as well as the applicant. Charon unveiled the site plans for the Commissioners and the



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public. There was a distinct murmured gasp from the community members when the full scope of the project was unveiled.

Charon detailed site plans focusing on those areas under the commission's responsibility: the integrity of the wetlands, storm water run-off, soils, vegetation and other natural resources. He described 100-foot buffer zones, storm water drainage, and low percentage of non-impervious materials (1,500 square feet) combining to keep construction impact subtle. Charon further noted chain-link fencing that would surround the entire solar field.

The plan consists of 25 acres, which will be clear cut of all trees and natural vegetation. Charon said that loam could and should be conserved from tree removal, but some new soil will be needed. Hydro-seeding will be done to replace the excavated natural woodlands with "virtually no impact on storm water run-off," he told the group. Charon did indicate that the abutters on Shady Oak Drive would be the ones most profoundly impacted by the project.

Blue Wave Managing Partner John DeVillars and other staff were on hand to respond to questions from the public. Abutters, the Lopes of Tinkham Hill Road, stated that their property sits below the site and expressed concerns about run-off. Charon said that a swale would divert storm water, allowing absorption. They also asked about the potential displacement of wildlife. Although

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Charon noted massive swamplands contiguous to the project, the Lopes seemed unconvinced that deer and other small woodland animals would simply go back into the swamps.

Paul Coderre of North Street inquired about hazardous materials inside the transformers and any resulting leakage in the event of a catastrophic episode, as well as any noise that might emanate from transformers. Those concerns were assuaged by Blue Wave.

Pat Aiello of Tinkham Hill Road wanted to know who would benefit from the energy produced. DeVillars said that Blue Wave is working with NStar and is permitted to sell the power within a designated "load zone," which includes Mattapoisett. Currently, Blue Wave has secured several private customers in other towns. Mattapoisett's benefit would derive from taxes paid on the property versus lowered electrical costs.

Chairman Peter Newton explained to the assembled that the Commission could only address those concerns within their scope of responsibility. The public had many more questions outside the Commission's purview.

"We want to engage the community," DeVillars said. "We want to meet with you and hear your questions."

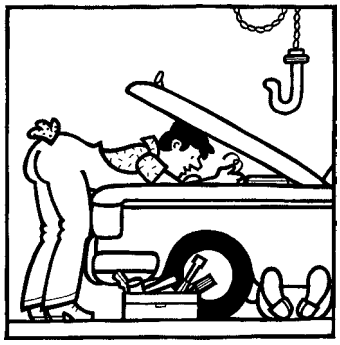
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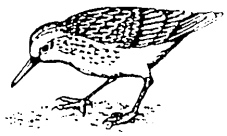
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Applicability has been given, why should we vote?" Newton asked.

"We shouldn't hold them up if they don't have their RDA," member Robert Rogers said. "They should be able to go before the Zoning Board of Appeals."

"Use involves a footprint," Bobola said. He said he felt that footprint should be measured before the applicant proceeds. "I think we've got the cart a bit before the horse on this one."

Agent Elizabeth Leidhold said that she would have the site lines and delineations reviewed in the next two weeks, weather permitting.

The Commission continued further discussion of the application for several weeks. Blue Wave was clearly disappointed in the lack of forward movement, as expressed by DeVillars: "That wasn't what we were hoping to hear tonight."

Before the next agenda item could be heard, those in attendance to comment on the construction project were directed to take further discussions into the hallway. The room quickly cleared as abutters met with DeVillars.

Other agenda items: Pease Point Association received approval for repairing the sea wall damaged by recent storms. Monika Schuler of 109 Marion Road requested and received approval confirming the limits of bordering vegetated wetlands, thereby providing full disclosure to prospective buyers of the 16-acre site. Alan Decker of the Buzzards Bay Coalition sought approval to

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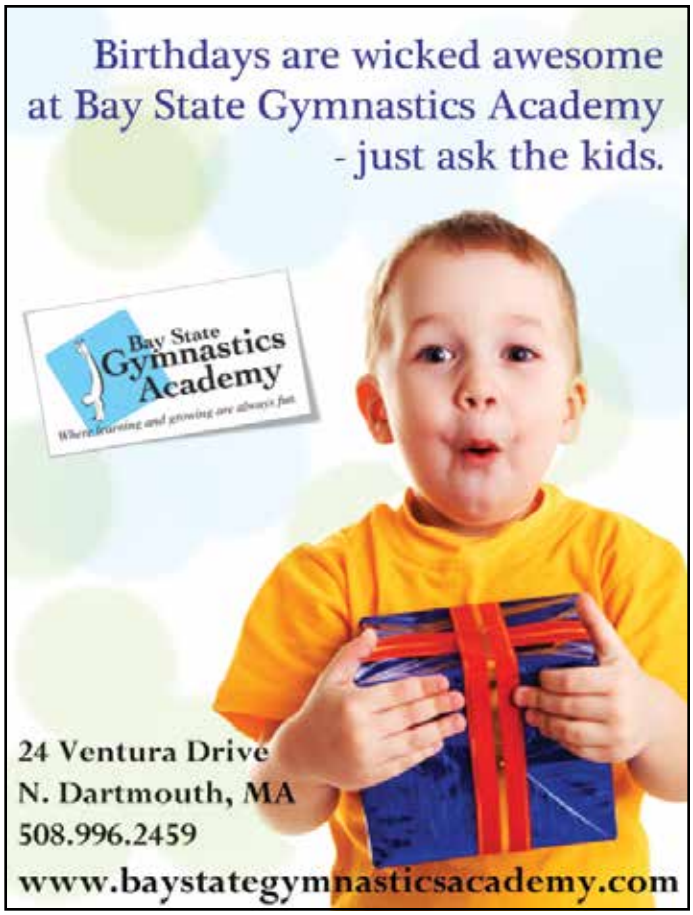


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hold preservation as is at North Woods, land now owned by the town. This was affirmed.

The night wasn't over quite yet, as the question of which boards should be approached sequentially or concurrently when applicants are seeking various approvals was again raised by Rogers. He wanted the issue placed on the next agenda, thus allowing the members along with the Building Commissioner to flesh out what makes the best sense for the community. Newton asked Rogers to write something up before the next meeting to give the group time to review and explore the matter prior to the next scheduled meeting.

With that, minutes were approved and Leidhold gave her report, which included an April 29 Open Space Committee public hearing. The Conservation Commission meets again on April 8 at 6:30 pm.

Debate Over Connet Woods Kiosk

Rochester Planning Board

By Shawn Badgley

A small but vocal group of homeowners in the Connet Woods subdivision protested the planned location of a mail kiosk at Tuesday's Rochester Planning Board meeting, expressing frustration with the developer's perceived lack of transparency and dissatisfaction with the Board's proposed placement of the structure.

An at times heated discussion on the item dominated the evening's proceedings, lasting upward of 90 minutes. Traffic congestion, safety, aesthetics, zoning requirements, the wishes of the postmaster, and other considerations had member Susan Teal "trying to build a matrix in my poor head." She was not alone, as members pored over documents and photographs while keeping up with public comment.

Since the postal service will not deliver to individual mailboxes in the subdivision, its residents must use a kiosk, currently drawn up for Lot 107 on Box Turtle Drive. Abutters voiced concerns about noise pollution, privacy, accident risk, and interrupted sight lines if the common box were to be moved there.

"I wouldn't have purchased the property had I known about this," said one resident. "We chose this



area specifically for the features of the neighborhood. These designs and the footprint have to be reconsidered." Another described herself as "furious" at not having been notified by Edgewood Development Company, adding that "there has been a lot of wasted time. Here we are, and nobody's happy, and it's not fair."

While the kiosk would currently have to accommodate only 20 residents, the proposed design anticipates future phases, and could ultimately handle mail for 52 Connet Woods lots. It would measure approximately 8 feet high, according to Tim Higgins of Edgewood. A subsequent companion kiosk in a different spot would add capacity for the remaining 65 lots in the development, which is located off of Ryder Road.

According to Chair Arnold Johnson, the post office "prefers" that there be two structures, and that they be located near the ingress points in the community.

"Their biggest issues are safety and access," Johnson said, repeatedly rejecting suggested alternatives from residents as unsafe or impractical. "It's a dilemma."

One idea that did gain traction late in the meeting was from resident Justin Gear, who said that a pull-up lane could be built at the front of the subdivision – and adjacent to his property – necessitating the clearing of "only a few trees" and not endangering pedestrians. The Board's response was positive, and Johnson encouraged the residents and the developer to reconvene and come up with a solution.





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"We've heard a lot of great testimony tonight, and I hope you don't think we've taken your concerns lightly," he said. "You guys need to get together and come back to us. I'm putting it back in your lap. Stake out the options, and we'll come out and take a look. I think we're heading in the right direction here."

The Board will revisit the item at its next meeting on April 9.

Meanwhile, the Board postponed discussion on Shawmut Associates' recycling facility, and undertook informal talks about whether to present their zoning articles to Rochester voters at the annual Town Meeting on May 20 or at a special Town Meeting in the fall, when their issues might be less likely overshadowed by budgetary matters, and quorum requirements would be lower. The consensus was to wait until the fall.

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ORR Joint School District Committee

By Marilou Newell

The Old Rochester Regional District Joint School Committee meeting started and ended with reports from Superintendent Doug White, the most significant of which was the recent ratification of the contract with the teachers' union. ORR Professional Educators Association members unanimously approved the agreement to a four-year contract on March 20. No specifics were detailed in press releases from Dr. Colin Everett, President of the Association, but he is quoted as saying there was preservation of benefits for "employees who might come on board in the future." Healthcare concessions were one of the central issues that needed resolution before the union members would agree to the contract.

White then went into details regarding his yearlong evaluation and implementation of new assessment guidelines and tools for administrators and teachers.

With the focus on using a variety of measurement tools, White said he was "impressed" with his in-class observations and was confident that over the next two years, real progress would be made in achieving the goals needed for both the students and the teachers.

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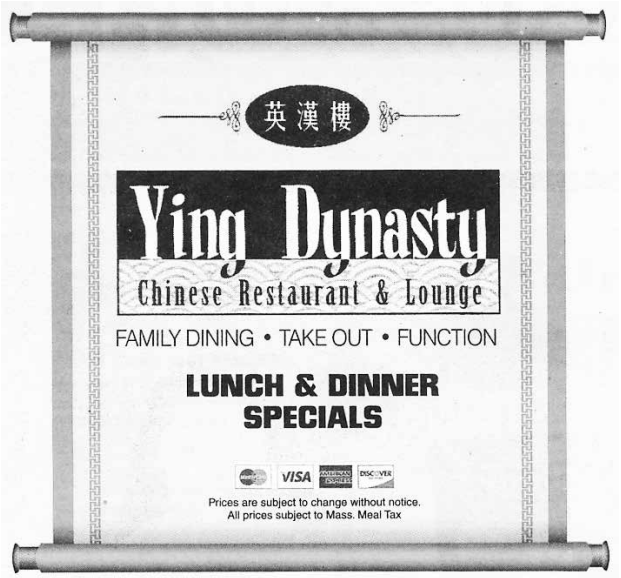
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DDM is a statewide evaluation system in which educators receive two separate ratings: Summative Performance Rating and Student Impact Rating. The combination of these two provides the professional education staff with informed evidence of the teacher's effectiveness and the students' response to the academic program. From these measurement models, schools and school districts will have the information necessary to build education plans that better serve the student population, while providing the educators with feedback

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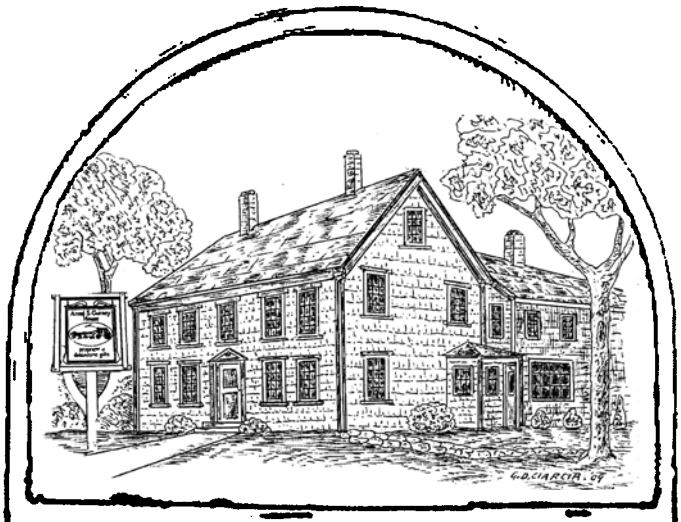
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for their continuous improvement. DDM models are geared to a two-year process to ensure measurements are calibrated and information is accurate for improvements and decisions.

White also shared that PARCC, the next generation in standardized testing for grades 3-12, will be impacted by the DDM program and implementation. Between these two measurement models, "real progress" for the ORR Joint School District can be achieved, White assured the Committee.

Some members of the Joint Committee from the Tri-Town area expressed appreciation for the work White has undertaken, along with the district-wide impact these changes will bring to the communities. Although change across three different school systems will take time to fully be implemented, the consensus of the members in attendance was positive.

In a separate matter, the Project Grow Program, which provides for the education needs of children with special needs, was discussed from a fiscal impact viewpoint. There had been ongoing discussion that possibly a financial burden was being placed on some towns more than others within the ORR Joint School District. The Committee heard that the research from surrounding towns with joint school districts proved that most were providing Project Grow Programs in the same manner as the ORR program, and, therefore, ORR was in synergy with towns in the region. The night's quorum

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passed an agreement that the current allowances for providing education to this specific group would stay in place and that policy would be written to memorialize the current plan.

Art Students Win Regional Scholastic Competition

ORR Update

By Jessica Correia

Seven ORRHS students were acknowledged by the Boston Globe Scholastic Arts and Writing Awards this month, collectively pulling in two Gold Key Awards, two Silver Key awards and four Honorable Mentions.

The two Gold Key Awards, the highest placing, were awarded to Kylie Faison for her charcoal drawing entitled "Stairway" and Marisa Paknis for her charcoal self-portrait. The two Silver Key Awards were given to Jacob Rioux for his pen and ink drawing "Side Door Hall" and Nancy Pope for her charcoal drawing "Tree Portrait." The Honorable Mentions went to Jacob Rioux for his "Self Portrait," Andrew Cardwell for his "Bedroom," Madeline Meyer for her "Madeline Rose" and Brittany Hotte for her "Self Portrait."

Gold and Silver Key Award winners from throughout the Northeast region gathered on March 3 at the John Hancock Building in Boston for a ceremony presenting their art and acknowledging their accomplishment. Those award winners will also have

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their pieces displayed in the State Transportation Building at 10 Park Plaza in Boston until April 11.

While these awards run nationally, the Boston Globe sponsors the Northeast region. The competition on all levels seeks to promote the Humanities and, at the national level, to provide scholarships to those seeking a future career in art or writing. There are multiple categories involved with local, regional and national levels with students from 7-12th grade welcome to enter.

For Old Rochester, 20 entries were sent in to the local competition. The pieces were dropped off at Plymouth South High School where they awaited judging. ORRHS's eight pieces moved on to the regional level where they were awarded the honors previously listed. While no national awards were given to ORRHS students, art teacher Joann Barrett says that is a future goal.

"This was the first year our students have been recognized under my teaching. Winning one of the national awards is definitely a goal we hope to reach in the future," Barrett said.

Barrett said the Boston Globe awards were not the only competition left on the agenda. Art All-State is the next event for ORRHS art students. Two students from 70 different schools across Massachusetts are invited to spend a weekend at the Worchester Art Museum and Clark University to participate in a collaborative event.

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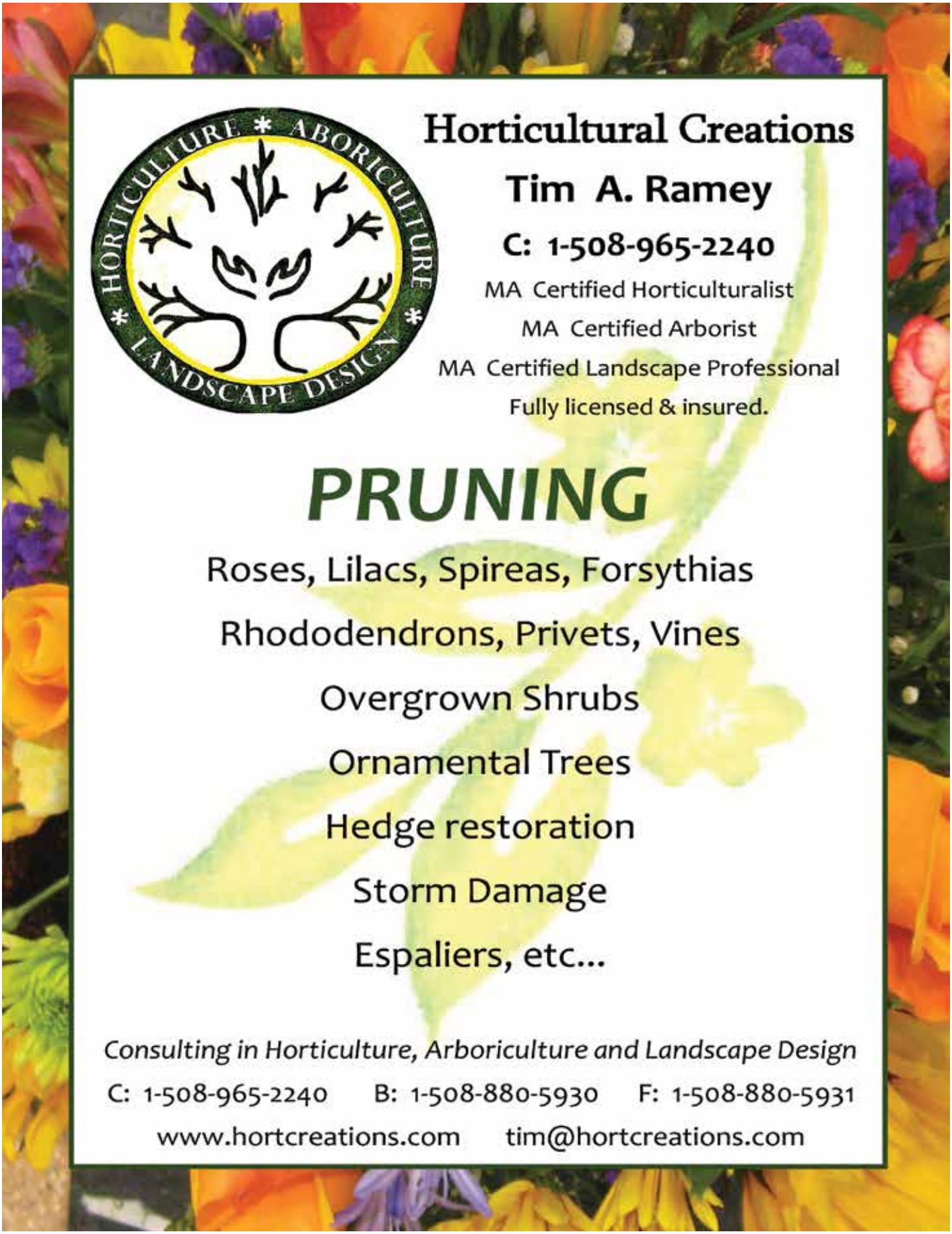


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professional artists as supervisors. Each group of students and artists, from different mediums of the visual arts, gathers to create an exhibit of their own in their room. The students work Friday and Saturday on their exhibits and present them on Saturday night. Students sleep at Clark University.

Barrett says the event "has a bigger intensity level. It gives the students a good idea what it is to be in a college setting for the arts. It is almost like Project Runway, where these students and artists are all thrown together, each with different talents and passions, and expected to create something. They create such cool things. It is a really great opportunity."

Art All-State will take place on May 24 and 25. Students will hear back on April 5 whether they were chosen to join in the collaborative event.

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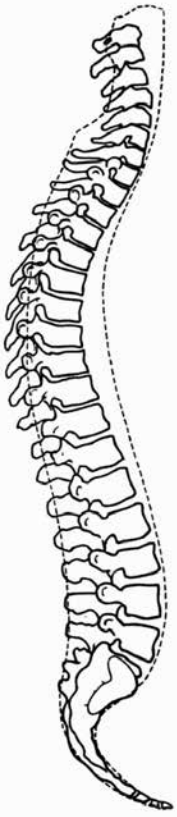
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Henry Beston's Cape Cod

Don Wilding, Co-founder of the Cape Cod nonprofit, Beston Society, and author of the book, *Henry Beston's Cape Cod*, will present his lecture and documentary film footage screening, "Henry Beston's Cape Cod: Inspiration for a National Seashore," at the Mattapoisett Free Public Library, 7 Barstow Street, on **Wednesday, April 24** at 6:30 pm.

Wilding has presented this program on Cape Cod and across New England extensively since 2001. Beston's book, *The Outermost House*, was written in 1927 after Beston spent a solitary year in a 20 foot by 16 foot cottage on Eastham's outer beach. *The Outermost House* is now considered an American classic on the level of the works of Thoreau, Muir and other noted nature writers, and was cited as a major influence on the establishment of the Cape Cod National Seashore in 1961. Noted author Rachel Carson said that *The Outermost House* was the only book to ever influence her writing.

Wilding, 52, published his own book, *Henry Beston's Cape Cod*, in 2003, shortly after co-founding the nonprofit Beston Society with his wife, Nita. The Beston Society is based in North Eastham, just a few miles from where Beston walked the outer beach, and has sponsored and/or taken part in lectures, theater productions and exhibits on the Cape. Wilding and the Beston Society are now producing a documentary film about Beston's story and his influence on the Cape Cod National Seashore,

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$343,000 in Chapter 90 Funding for Mattapoisett

Mattapoisett is slated to receive more than $343,000 in Chapter 90 aid to fund vital road improvement and repair projects throughout the city this year.

The Massachusetts Highway Association today urged the timely allocation of these Chapter 90 funds, which are currently included as part of Governor Deval Patrick's proposed $1 billion transportation budget. This larger budget could be debated throughout the summer — calling into question the timing of many necessary road repairs and maintenance projects throughout the state.

"It is imperative that cities and towns across the state get these highway funds in time to sign contracts, put men and women to work and pave these roads," said Mike Valenti, Massachusetts Highway Association President. "We missed most of the warm weather last year because the funding did not come in time to sign contracts, and that means many of our roads are badly in need of work. We've had a rough winter, and putting off this work will lead to more dangerous roads and more expensive repairs in the future."

The Governor is calling for $300 million in Chapter 90 funding for the Commonwealth, which could mean as much as $343,051 for Mattapoisett. The timely allocation of Chapter 90 funds not only ensures existing road improvement plans continue on schedule, but can also save communities money in the long-term by preventing worsening damage to roadways.

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Highway departments across the state are advocating that projects relying on Chapter 90 funding should begin as soon as possible — particularly due to the extensive amount of roadwork that has been put on hold following years of underfunding and delays in funding allocation.

Marion Safe Boating Course

The Marion Harbormaster's Office will offer a Free Boating Safety Course on **May 18 and 25** from 9:00 am to 3:30 pm. Students must attend both Saturdays to receive the certificate. The course is also being held on **July 13 and 20**, also from 9:00 am to 3:30 pm. Students must attend both Saturdays to receive the certificate.

Classes will be held at the Marion Police Station, 500 Mill Street, Marion. Registration is limited to 25 participants. Registration will be conducted through the MEP Boating Safety Course website (www.mass.gov/ole, click on Boat and Recreation Vehicle Safety Bureau.) If unable to register, please contact Courtney Livingston at 508-564-4961.

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Friends of Old Rochester Music News

Instrumental Scholarship Concert Rescheduled – The stormy weather couldn't prevent the FORM Scholarship Concert from happening. It just postponed it a bit. The new date for the Instrumental Concert is **Tuesday, April 2** at 6:30 pm in the High School Gymnasium. We look forward to seeing you there. Tickets are priced at $4 for seniors and students, $6 for adults, and a family admission of $20. Tickets purchased for the Choral Concert are good for this performance. Join the ORR District elementary, junior and senior high students and their directors in this annual event!

Night Of Jazz – Come to the Old Rochester Regional High School Cafeteria on **Monday, April 8** at 7:00 pm for light refreshments and join us for a Night of Jazz presented by the ORR High School and Junior High Music Departments.

The evening will feature traditional and student-arranged pieces presented by the Senior High Chorus, Jazz Band and Jazz Combo. The Junior High Jazz Band will also perform. Tickets are priced at $5 for adults and $3 for seniors and students. A 50/50 raffle will also be held. All proceeds from ticket sales and raffles are used by the Friends of Old Rochester Music to promote and support music programs in the Old Rochester Junior and Senior High Schools. Share our enthusiasm for live music and enjoy an evening with us.

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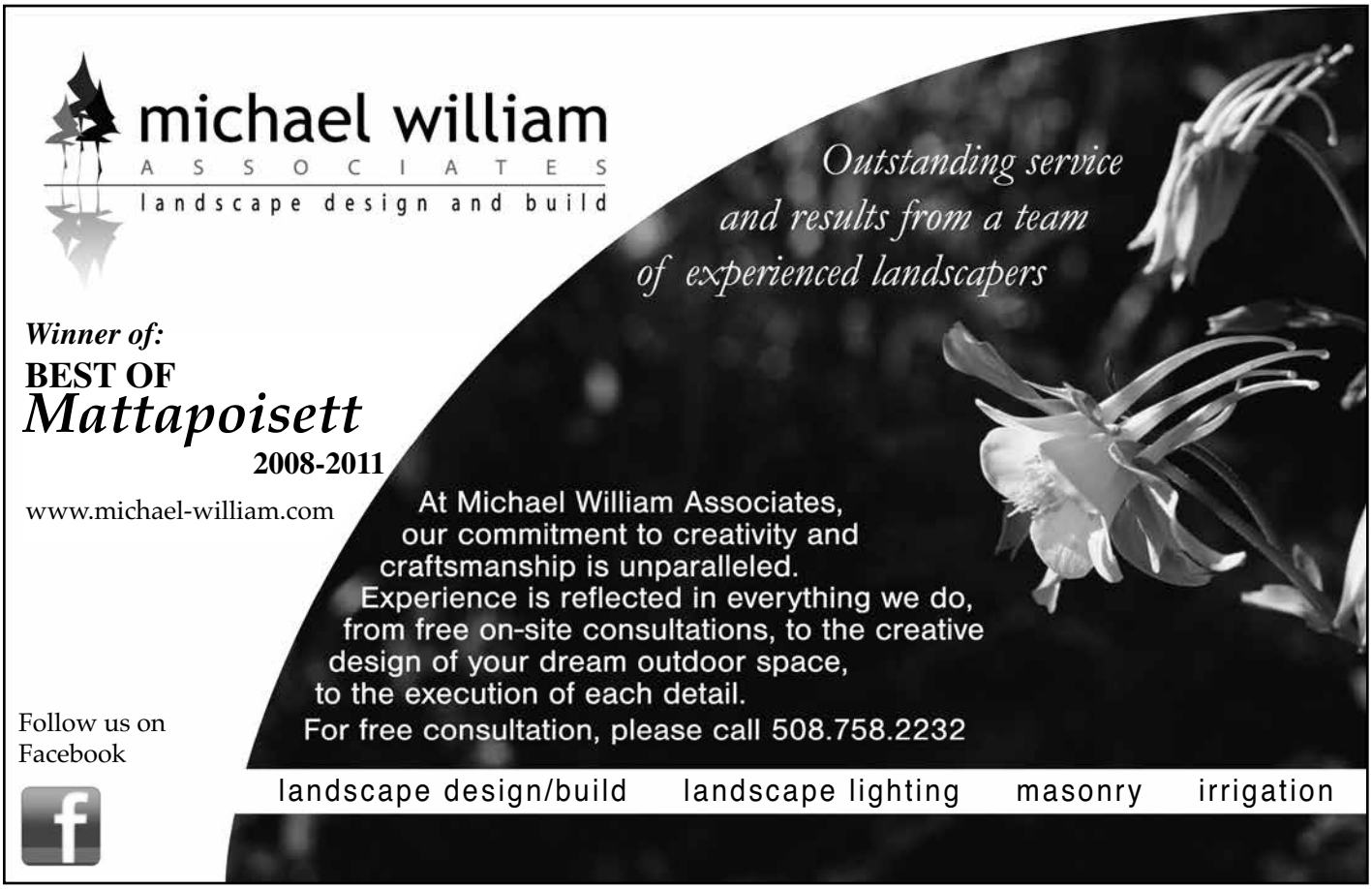
Lions Club Egg Hunt

The Lions Club Easter Egg Hunt has been rescheduled to this coming **Saturday, March 30** at 11:00 am at Veteran's Park at Ned's Point Lighthouse. Hopping good fun for children of all ages. Bring your own basket and see what treasures you will find. Visit our website at www.mattapoisettlionsclub.org or like us on Facebook.

UCCT Reality Fair

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Obituaries:



Gilbert P. Champagne, 73, of Rochester, died March 20, 2013 at home after a long illness.

He was the husband of Jane M. (Doran) Champagne.

Born and raised in New Bedford, the son of the late Antonio and Henrietta (Lemaire) Champagne, he lived in Rochester since 1973.

He was a communicant of St. John Neumann Church, East Freetown.

Mr. Champagne was formerly employed by Verizon for many years until his retirement. He was a member and past president of I.B.E.W. Local# 2322 and a member of the Telephone Pioneers.

He served in the U.S. Navy during the Vietnam War.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Mark D. Champagne and his wife Kelly McLaughlin of South Royalton, VT; a daughter, Nicole J. Champagne and her spouse Daryl Isles of Woburn; 2 brothers, Paul Champagne of Rochester and Charles Champagne of Randolph; a sister, Marcia Champagne of Rochester; and 3 grandchildren, Anshel, Cecelia and Andrew.

He was the father of the late Christopher Champagne.

Funeral Mass was held at St. John Neumann Church and burial followed in St. Mary's Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, remembrances may be made to Southcoast Hospice, 200 Mill Rd., Fairhaven, MA 02719.



Willis H. Collyer, 91, of Mattapoisett, died Tuesday, March 19, 2013 at Our Lady's Haven after a long illness. He was the husband of the late Barbara R. (Walker) Collyer.

Born and raised in Marblehead, the son of the late Ernest L. and Corinne (Lindsey) Collyer, he lived in Mattapoisett since 1956.

Mr. Collyer was a member of the Mattapoisett Congregational Church.

He was formerly employed as supervisor of marine law enforcement with the Massachusetts Environmental Police.

Mr. Collyer served in the U.S. Coast Guard during World War II. He was a member of Florence Eastman American Legion and the Machacam Club.

Survivors include his 2 sons, Michael L. Collyer and his wife Jacqueline and Craig W. Collyer and his wife Joanne, all of Mattapoisett; a daughter-in-law ,Jennifer Collyer of Fairhaven; 5 grandchildren, 3 great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

He was the father of the late Karl M. Collyer.

His arrangements are incomplete.

Stephen Louis Vachon, 24, of Mashpee passed away suddenly at home on Wednesday March 20, 2013.

Born in Hyannis, the son of Stephen J. and Tracey L. (Childs) Vachon of Mashpee and Mattapoisett, he lived in Mashpee all of his life. He was a graduate of Mashpee High School.

Stephen loved riding motorcycles, golfing, and spending time with his cousins and his family.

Survivors include his parents; a brother, Spencer Vachon and his wife Katie of Mashpee; a sister, Alicia Vachon of Mashpee; his grandparents, Carole L. and Howard James Childs of Marstons Mills; and aunts, uncle and cousins.

He was the grandson of the late Angelina and Louis Richard Vachon.

A private family service will be held at the Saunders-Dwyer Mattapoisett Home for Funerals, 50 County Rd., Mattapoisett. Visiting hours are omitted. Burial will be in St. Anthony's Cemetery, Mattapoisett. For online condolence book, please visit www.saundersdwyer.com.



Joan C. Morton, 80, of Rochester and formerly of Somerset, passed away Saturday, March 23, 2013 surrounded by her loving family.

Born in Fall River, a daughter of the late Lester and Margaret (O'Neil) Morton, she was a graduate of BMC Durfee High School.

Joan had lived in Somerset for over 30 years before moving to Rochester in 2006. She worked in the Tax Collectors Office at Somerset Town Hall for many years before retiring. Joan loved flowers, enjoyed gardening, knitting, dancing and listening to music. She was also an avid Red Sox fan.

She is survived by her son, Scott Pierce and his wife Brenda of Rochester; two daughters, Dale Schlegel of Mashpee and Nancy Biello and her husband Anthony of Westport; three grandchildren, Haley Pierce, Megan Pierce and Kimberly Fortin and several nieces and nephews. She was also the sister of the late Lester Morton and Ruth Gifford.

Relatives and friends were invited to her funeral service held on Wednesday, March 27, 2013 in the Rock Funeral Home, 1285 Ashley Blvd., New Bedford. Burial followed in Nathan Slade Cemetery, Somerset. Visiting hours were held prior to the service.



Peter G. Rezendes, Jr., 74, of Marion died March 20, 2013 in the Massachusetts General Hospital. He was the husband of Juanita A. (Lopes) Rezendes and the son of the late Peter G. and Marie (DePina) Rezendes.

He was born in Marion and lived there all of his life. Mr. Rezendes served in the U.S. Army.

Mr. Rezendes retired from Modern Continental as a Construction Supervisor. He was a member of the Laborers Union Local 610 in Fall River for 40 years.

He was an avid golfer and member of the PGA, Little Harbor Golf Club in Wareham and Little Marion Golf Course. During his lifetime he recorded 8 Holes in One and was Club Champion

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Students will work with actual business people from the community who will advise students to make appropriate financial decisions for their futures.

The fair was developed based on the need to educate teens in personal finance. Volunteers from the Cape Cod Business Community and the Rotary Club of Bourne-Sandwich will staff the tables that each student must visit to complete a month's budget. The goal is for students to realize that a good-paying job will be essential to cover the costs of their living expenses.

"Spring" for a Cure

The Tri-Town Relay for Life team "Family Ties" will be holding a vendor and craft fair on April 7 from 12:00 to 4:00 pm at the Marion VFW located on Route 6. There will be a bake sale, knitting, Pampered Chef, Silpada, homemade cards, chocolate nachos and more.

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at several courses in the area. He was a member of the Benjamin D. Cushing V.F.W. Post 2425.

He enjoyed being surrounded by his family especially his grandchildren and great grandchildren.

Survivors include his widow, Juanita A. (Lopes) Rezendes; 4 sons, Peter G. Rezendes, III of Marion, Joseph P. Rezendes of Bettendorf, IA, Michael A. Rezendes and Kevin J. Rezendes both of Marion; 3 brothers, Christian, John and Zackaria Rezendes all of Marion; 5 sisters, Joanne Lopes and Mary Lomba both of Marion, Elaine Silva of New Bedford, Enis Krol of Flower Mound, TX and Lucy Reynolds of CT; 11 grandchildren; 5 great grandchildren. He was the brother of the late Manuel, Amos and Louis Rezendes.

His funeral was held on Wednesday, March 27, 2013 from the Chapman, Cole & Gleason Funeral Home, 2599 Cranberry Hwy., Wareham, followed by a Mass of Christian Burial in St. Patrick's Church, 82 High St., Wareham.

Burial followed in Evergreen Cemetery, Marion. Visiting hours were held on Tuesday at the funeral home.

Donations in his memory may be made t the American Cancer Society, 5 Manley St., W. Bridgewater, MA 02379. For directions and online guestbook, visit: www.ccgfuneralhome.com.

Earl William "Bill" Waite, 83, of Mattapoisett died March 24, 2013 unexpectedly at St. Luke's Hospital.

He was the husband of Cynthia S. (Stitt) Waite.



Born and raised in Fairhaven, the son of the late George C. and Beatrice E. (Boudreau) Waite, he lived in Marlboro and Mattapoisett most of his life.

Mr. Waite was a member of the Mattapoisett Congregational Church.

He served in the U.S. Air Force during the Korean War and later served 38 years until his retirement.

Mr. Waite was a member of the Howland Lodge A.F. & A.M., the Star of the East Lodge AF & AM. and Agawam Chapter 121 Order of Eastern Star. He enjoyed sailing and spending time at the Mattapoisett town wharf.

Survivors include his wife; 2 sons, Robert W. Waite and his wife Deborah of North Dighton and Jonathan C. Waite of Mattapoisett; 2 daughters, Linda S. Blackman of Rice, TX and Carol A. Faulkner and her husband Joseph of Seekonk; 2 grandchildren, Andrew L. Faulkner and Sarah E. Faulkner; and several nieces and nephews.

He was the brother of the late Ruth Regan and George Waite, Jr.

His Funeral Service will be held on Thursday at 10 AM in the Saunders-Dwyer Mattapoisett Home for Funerals, 50 County Rd., Route 6, Mattapoisett. Burial will follow in Riverside Cemetery. Visiting hours were held Wednesday. For directions and guestbook, please visit www.saundersdwyer.com.

LOCAL CABLE PROGRAMMING

ORCTV

Check www.orctv.org for the latest updates to the schedule.

PUBLIC ACCESS
Comcast Channel 9
Verizon Channel 36

Thursday March 28, 2013
8:00 AM – Navigating the Way for Seniors - Transitions and Downsizing
8:30 AM - Greater New Bedford Community Health Center
9:00 AM – The Register's Report
9:30 AM – Studio 105 with Marsha Hartley
10:00 AM – Expedition New England
10:30 AM - Kids a Cookin'
11:00 AM – Senior Stretch
11:30 AM – Jazzercise
Noon – Midday Movie
1:30 PM – Reeling – The Movie Review Show
2:00 PM – Tomorrow Today
2:30 PM - Don Cuddy Presents – The Island of Grimsey, Iceland
3:00 PM – Story Time with Miss Teresa
3:30 PM – I Can Be Me
4:00 PM – Marion Toast Masters
5:00 PM – Profile - Gov. Deval Patrick
5:30 PM - Emphasis Massachusetts: Governor Deval Patrick
6:00 PM - Time Warp
6:30 PM - Senior Scene
7:00 PM – Reeling – The Movie Review Show
7:30 PM – A Culinary Journey
8:00 PM - Thrifty Cooking with Linda
8:30 PM – The Song
9:00 PM – The Mike Bliss Quartet
10:00 PM - The San Patricios
11:00 PM – The Music Hour
Midnight – Midnight Movie
2:00 AM – Midnight Mausoleum

Friday March 29, 2013
8:00 AM – Robbi Around Town - 2013 CCYBL Championship
9:30 AM – Cooking with Marie
10:00 AM – Don Cuddy Presents – The Island of Grimsey, Iceland
10:30 AM – Upper Cape Tech Presents: Careers
11:00 AM – Senior Stretch
11:30 AM – Jazzercise
Noon – Midday Movie
1:30 PM – Boating Local
2:00 PM – Emily's Garden
2:30 PM – Reminiscing The Cape Cod Canal
3:00 PM – Story Time with Miss Teresa
3:30 PM - Global 3000
4:00 PM - Deutsche Welle - European Journal
4:30 PM – Alan Hickey – Antarctica Talk
5:30 PM – Physician Focus
6:00 PM - Town Talk - The Marion Institute
7:00 PM – New England Journal
7:30 PM - Navigating the Way for Seniors - Transitions and Downsizing
8:00 PM – Around BCC
8:30 PM - Mattapoisett River Valley Water Treatment Plant
9:15 PM – Mattapoisett COA Speaker Series - Understanding Depression in the Elderly
10:00 PM – The Steve Katsos Show
10:30 PM – Get Connected
11:00 PM – 30 Odd Minutes
11:30 PM – Paranormal Generation
Midnight – Friday Night at the Drive-In - Midnight Movies

Saturday March 30, 2013
6:30 AM – Classic Cartoon Festival
8:30 AM – Peek-a-boo Turtle
9:00 AM – Just Paws
10:00 AM – Studio 105 with Marsh Hartley
10:30 AM - Town Talk - The Marion Institute
11:00 AM – Kids a Cookin'
11:30 AM - Thrifty Cooking with Linda
Noon – Don Cuddy Presents the History of Running
1:00 PM – U-Mass Dartmouth Sustainability Initiative
3:00 PM – 30 Odd Minutes
3:30 PM - Time Warp
4:00 PM - Neighbor to Neighbor with Don Cuddy - The George and Porgie Show
5:00 PM - Boating Local
5:30 PM – Expedition New England
6:00 PM – Buzzards Bay Old Buzzards Hockey
7:00 PM – Reeling – The Movie Review Show
7:30 PM – A Culinary Journey
8:00 PM – Wicked Good Cooking
8:30 PM – The Song
9:00 PM – Penny Dreadful's Shilling Shockers
11:00 PM – The Mike Bliss Quartet
Midnight – Midnight Movie
2:00 AM – The Dungeon of Dr. Dreck

Sunday March 31, 2013
6:30 AM – Words of Peace
7:00 AM – Second Coming Church
8:00 AM – New Testament Church of Cedarville
9:00 AM – Music and the Spoken Word
9:30 AM - First Congregational Church of Rochester
11:00 AM – The Riverside Church of Wareham with Dr. Gomes
11:30 AM – Consumer Affairs
Noon – The Register's Report
12:30 PM - Cape Cod Book Scene
1:00 PM – Physician Focus
1:30 PM - Navigating the Way for Seniors - Transitions and Downsizing
2:00 PM - Music and the Spoken Word
2:30 PM - First Congregational Church of Rochester
4:00 PM – New Testament Church of Cedarville
5:00 PM - Words of Peace
5:30 PM – The Riverside Church of Wareham with Dr. Gomes
6:00 PM – Bioneers by the Bay - Antwi A. Akom
6:30 PM - Profile - Gov. Deval Patrick
7:00 PM – The Mike Bliss Quartet
8:00 PM – The San Patricios
9:00 PM – Dartmouth Community Medical School Forums
11:00 PM - Dave Downs - Clutter Talk
Midnight – Midnight Movie

Monday April 1, 2013
8:00 AM – Arts 21
8:30 AM - Dave Downs - Clutter Talk
9:30 AM – Your Money Your Life
10:00 AM – VNA Health Highlights – Yoga
10:30 AM – Tomorrow and Today
11:00 AM – Senior Stretch
11:30 AM – Jazzercise
Noon – Midday Movie
1:30 PM – Just Paws
2:00 PM – Alan Hickey – Antarctica Talk
3:00 PM - Story Time with Miss Teresa
3:30 PM – Around BCC
4:00 PM – European Journal
4:30 PM – Global 3000
5:00 PM – Reeling – The Movie Review Show
5:30 PM – Robbi Around Town - 2013 CCYBL Championship
6:15 PM – Mattapoisett COA Speaker Series - Understanding Depression in the Elderly
7:00 PM – Expedition New England
7:30 PM - Don Cuddy Presents – The Island of Grimsey, Iceland
8:00 PM - Boating Local
8:30 PM - Town Talk - The Marion Institute
9:30 PM - Marion Toastmasters
10:30 PM – Life Matters
11:00 PM – The David Pakman Show
Midnight – Midnight Movie

Tuesday April 2, 2013
8:00 AM – Navigating the Way for Seniors - Transitions and Downsizing
8:30 PM - Thrifty Cooking with Linda
9:00 AM – Graceful Aging
10:00 AM – Neighbor to Neighbor with Don Cuddy - The George and Porgie Show
11:00 AM – Senior Stretch
11:30 AM – Jazzercise
Noon – Midday Movie
1:30 PM – Sound Off
2:00 PM – Marion Toastmasters
3:00 PM - Story Time with Miss Teresa
3:30 PM – Dartmouth Community Medical School Forum
5:00 PM – Profile - Gov. Deval Patrick
6:00 PM – Living Healthy
6:30 PM – The Dr. Is In
7:00 PM – Creating Cooperative Kids
8:00 PM – Upper Cape Tech Presents – Careers
8:30 PM – Around Town with Buster
9:00 PM - Robbi Around Town - 2013 CCYBL Championship
10:30 PM - The Crisis Facing New England Ground Fishermen with John Bullard
Midnight – Midnite Mausoleum

Wednesday April 3, 2013
8:00 AM – Around BCC
8:30 AM – Just Paws
9:15 AM – Mattapoisett COA Speaker Series - Understanding Depression in the Elderly
10:00 AM – Melissa's Menu
10:30 AM - Living Healthy
11:00 AM – Senior Stretch
11:30 AM – Jazzercise
Noon – Midday Movie
2:00 PM - Bioneers by the Bay - Adeola Oredola
3:00 PM - Story Time with Miss Teresa
3:30 PM - Sci-Fi Journal
4:30 PM – The David Pakman Show
6:00 PM – Local History with Don Cuddy - Pal Dagget & Winnie Hartley
7:00 PM - Boating Local
8:00 PM – Dave Downs - Clutter Talk
10:00 PM – Sound Off
9:30 PM – Soldiers Journal
10:30 PM – Life Matters
11:00 PM – 30 Odd Minutes
11:30 PM – Time Warp
Midnight – Midnight Movie

MARION GOVERNMENT
Comcast Channel 95
Verizon Channel 39
Daily Schedule
8:00 AM - Marion School Committee
11:00 AM - Latest Planning Board Meeting
1:00 PM - Latest Board of Selectmen Meeting
4:00 PM - Marion School Committee
6:30 PM - Latest Board of Selectmen Meeting
8:00 PM - Latest Planning Board Meeting

ROCHESTER GOVERNMENT
Comcast Channel 95
Verizon Channel 40
Daily Schedule
8:00 AM – Rochester School Committee
11:30 AM - Latest Planning Board Meeting
1:30 PM - Latest Board of Selectmen Meeting
3:30 PM - Rochester School Committee
6:30 PM - Latest Board of Selectmen Meeting
8:00 PM – Latest Planning Board Meeting

EDUCATION CHANNEL
Comcast Channel 97
Verizon Channel 37
Daily Schedule
8:00 AM – Bullying: What Every Parent Needs to Know
8:30 PM - The Mr. DeVoll Show - ORR Drama Club - Oklahoma
9:00 AM – 2013 ORR FORM Choral Concert
10:00 AM – RMS - United We Sing - Grade 4 Concert - Jan. 24, 2013
11:00 PM - ORRHS Boys Basketball
Noon - Upper Cape Tech Presents: Careers
12:30 PM - The Mr. DeVoll Show - ORR Drama Club - Oklahoma
1:00 PM - RMS - United We Sing - Grade 4 Concert - Jan. 24, 2013
2:10 PM - ORRHS Boys Basketball
3:00 PM - Emun Legesse - Interview with ORR Superintendent Doug White
3:30 PM - ORRHS Video Journalism Class Projects Spring 2013
4:00 PM – Center School 3rd Grade Folk Art Project
5:00 PM - 2013 ORR FORM Choral Concert
6:00 PM – RMS - United We Sing - Grade 4 Concert - Jan. 24, 2013
7:00 PM - 2013 Sippican School Winter Concert
7:30 PM – Center School 3rd Grade Folk Art Project
8:30 PM - The Mr. DeVoll Show - ORR Drama Club - Oklahoma
9:00 PM - ORRHS Video Journalism Class Projects Spring 2013

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Marion Republican Town Committee

The Marion Republican Town Committee will conduct its next monthly meeting on **Tuesday, April 2** at 7:00 pm at the Marion Music Hall, 164 Front Street. New members welcome.

Scholarships Available for Tri-Town Seniors

Graduating high school seniors from the Tri-Town area are urged to apply for a several scholarships now available through the Community Foundation of Southeastern Massachusetts (CFSEMA).

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TriTown Happenings



Top Left: MarionRecreation Wildcats, Boys 7 & 8 Grade Travel Team: Standing (left to right): Coach Kyle Erha, Tyler Mourao, Nick Mezzanote, Nick Rego, Nate Hall, Alex Bilodeau, Andrew Riggi, Etsub Legesse, Kneeling: Jack Murphy, Jack Sollauer, Caleb Jagoda, Colin Bourgeois, Joey MacKay



Center Left: Marion Recreation Team "The Liberty": Back Row: Coach Meredith Mattson-Days and Coach Anthony Days, Middle Row: Georgia Toland, Zoe Kelley, Kinsley Dickerson, Ellie Whitney and Pavanne Gleiman, Front Row: Caroline Owens, Jillian Kutash and Michaela Mattson, not pictured: Paige Feeney, Raegan Rapoza and Coach Jeff Dickerson



Bottom Left: Marion Recreation Girls Travel Team: Back Row: Coach Jeff Dickerson, Middle Row: Jillian Kutash, Kinsley Dickerson, Maya Doonan, Delaney Soucy, Madison Pedro and Coach Stacey Perry, Front Row: Rachael Fantoni, Cassidy Bart, Maggie Arruda and Nicole Fantoni



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an application.

Rochester Country Fair Fundraiser

On **Sunday, April 28**, with a May 5 rain date, the Rochester Country Fair Committee will be holding Ferrous and Non-Ferrous Metal Recycling & NEATTA Tractor Show, Pull and Swap Meet.

Get ready for spring and help support the Rochester Country Fair by donating your unwanted ferrous and non-ferrous metals to the Rochester Country Fair! Donations of scrap metal items can be dropped off at the Fairgrounds, located at 65 Pine Street, on Sunday, April 28 between the hours of 9:00 am and 4:00 pm.

Scrap metal collected will help support the Rochester Country Fair as we continue to make improvements to the fairgrounds and bring new and exciting events to the Fair. So get ready for spring by cleaning up some unwanted recyclable items in your yard while supporting your local fair.

A list of acceptable items includes ferrous and non-ferrous items: steel, washers & dryers, grills (without propane tanks), cast iron, hot water heaters, copper, engines, rims (without tires), aluminum, mixed steel items, transmissions, metal gutters, drums and rotors, farm equipment, stainless steel, axles, radiators and insulated wire. If you have any questions or need assistance in getting your donated items to the Fairgrounds, please don't hesitate to contact the Fair Committee at Rochestercountryfair@comcast.net.

We will also be accepting intact car batteries for recycling. No tires on rims or appliances containing Freon will be accepted. Please properly drain all fluids out of engines and transmissions prior to delivery.

While you're there, the NEATTA Club (New England Antique Tractor & Truck Association) will be hosting an Antique Tractor and Garden Tractor Pull, Static Show of Antique Farm Tractors, Garden Tractors and Trucks as well as a Swap Meet at the Fairgrounds. The NEATTA Club has been very helpful in assisting the RCF Committee and we are happy to provide them a place to host their popular spring-time show. The event will also have kid's games & crafts, a People's Choice Awards for







Movie Review

Presidentail

By Rob Gonsalves
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***Olympus Has Fallen.* Starring Gerard Butler and Aaron Eckhart. Directed by Antoine Fuqua. Running time: 120 minutes. MPAA rating: R.**

Every week, according to legend, Penn Jillette of Penn & Teller participates in a special Movie Night with like-minded freaks and friends. Movie Night has many rules, one of them being that if the title of a movie is spoken in the movie, everyone must applaud. I reflected on that ritual about half an hour into *Olympus Has Fallen,* when a Secret Service agent (Cole Hauser) intones into his wrist microphone — you guessed it — "Olympus has fallen." Nobody at my semi-packed screening applauded; Penn and his posse must've been otherwise engaged. Nobody applauded at anything else, either, even at the many cheesily patriotic moments such as the one in which the bloodied Secretary of Defense (poor Melissa Leo) defiantly recites the Pledge of Allegiance while being dragged off by terrorists.

A moronic synthesis of *Die Hard* and *Red Dawn, Olympus Has Fallen* (applause) pits One Lone Man — ex-Secret Service agent Mike Banning (Gerard Butler) — against North Korean terrorists. North Korea certainly does seem to be the accepted Big Bad of recent action cinema; last fall's *Red Dawn* remake — which, like *Olympus Has Fallen* (applause), was distributed by FilmDistrict — famously changed its Chinese invaders to North Koreans. The movie's politics are goofy in the manner of the hundreds of '80s action flicks just like this one; in any event, the terrorists act independently of their country, and their ringleader (Rick Yune) is driven more by revenge than by ideology.

Director Antoine Fuqua has made eight features, of which I have seen four; is that enough evidence for me to declare him an unexciting and impersonal action director with a little style? Fuqua stages the initial assault on the White House with some bloody snap and vigor, but after that it's a lot of footage of Gerard Butler skulking around dark hallways and neutralizing terrorists, crosscut with scenes at the Pentagon where people, including



Morgan Freeman and Angela Bassett, scowl and fret. The President (Aaron Eckhart) is being held hostage in his bunker along with most of his top officials, and he must be rescued before the terrorists gain full access to the three-part code that will blow up all of our nukes in their silos. The President's son is also hiding in the White House somewhere, and Banning must find him. Fortunately that goal is knocked out of the way relatively early, or else we'd be thinking "Who cares about a kid? Olympus has fallen!" (Applause.)

A prologue of sorts tells us why Banning is no longer a Secret Service agent: one snowy night, the President's vehicle went halfway off a bridge, and Banning wasn't able to save the First Lady (Ashley Judd) before the First Car plunged into the icy drink. What we take from this is not "What a sad backstory" but "I guess Ashley Judd gotta eat." The movie is in other respects a halfway house for actors who used to have better careers, like Bassett, Radha Mitchell, Dylan McDermott, and Robert Forster. *Olympus Has Fallen* (applause) isn't much of an actor's showcase anyway, though Aaron Eckhart gets to add another Big No moment to his highlight reel. Butler does what he can, but Banning lacks the Jersey street wit of John McClane, not to mention McClane's vulnerability. If we're supposed to feel any apprehension on Banning's behalf, we don't, because he's presented from the word go as the best and toughest Secret Service agent ever.

Every so often, competing films on the same theme go into production independently of each other and then race to see which will hit theaters first (last year brought *Mirror Mirror* and *Snow White and the Huntsman,* for instance). This is one of two White-House-under-siege films you will see (or wait for Netflix to see) this year, the other being June's *White House Down.* Will there be a character in that film who will dramatically speak the line "White House down," prompting Penn Jillette and his cronies to redden their palms? Maybe you can go see it and let me know — I'll probably opt for the Sandra Bullock/Melissa McCarthy comedy that weekend, having essentially seen *White House Down* already.

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The Rochester Country Fair Committee will be serving coffee and donuts in the morning as well as serving hot lunch out of the Fair's Food Booth. The rain date is scheduled for May 5.

Summer Programs at the Marion Museum

The Marion Natural History Museum's Summer Program is one of the most well-known and well-regarded in the South Coast area. Children from across the country visit us each summer and participate in the program. The programs are designed to be small groups, and registration is limited to 15 children per session.

During our Life along the Shore program, we visit the shoreline and explore the plants and animals that live in our area's many coastal habitats. With the use of games, journals and introductory science techniques, this will be a wonderful first look at life in our coastal environment appropriate for students entering first and second grades.

Our Coastal Explorations I program features the exploration of our rocky intertidal shorelines, salt marshes, estuaries as well as freshwater riverbanks, swamps, ponds and bogs. We look at the birds, amphibians, fish and invertebrates that make these areas so special. The program is appropriate for students entering third and fourth grades.

Additionally, during our Coastal Explorations II program, for fifth through seventh grades, we further enjoy the unique habitats Marion has to offer, including several field trips to expand our knowledge of our Coastal and Freshwater ecosystems.

Registration forms are available at the museum website: www.marionmuseum.org. Programs will fill on a first-come, first-served basis, so please register early.

The Marion Natural History Museum has an opening for a Lead Environmental Educator for their summer program. In addition, the MNHM is looking for two energetic assistant educators. If interested in applying, please send a resume and cover letter to: Marion Natural History Museum, P.O. Box 644, Marion, MA 02738.

ORR Athletic Reunion

On Saturday, March 30, there will be a reunion for all past athletes, coaches, cheerleaders and supporters at the Reservation Golf Club in Mattapoisett from 5:00 pm until closing. Alumni from all years are welcome to attend. There will be food and a cash bar. Come reminisce and share with fellow athletes. Bring a scrapbook to share. March Madness will be in full swing. Hope to see you there.

THE KITTANSETT CLUB 1922

The Kittansett Club is pleased to announce Marion Day on Sunday, April 21, 2013. In support of our community, the course will be open to all Marion residents and town employees. Proof of residency will be required at check in on day of event.

Tee times will run from 7:30 A.M.-12 P.M. Space is limited and tee times will be on a first come, first served basis.

There will be no charge for green fees. If carts are available, the cost will be $27.00 plus tax per player. Pull carts will also be available at the cost of $7.50 plus tax. Standard caddie rates apply.

The driving range will not be open.

You can sign up for a tee time by calling the golf shop at (508) 748-0192. Name and phone number will have to be provided for each player. Deadline for sign up is April 14, 2013.

The Kittansett Club dress code of proper golf attire will be strictly enforced. **No denim jeans or tee shirts.** Please check The Kittansett Club website for specific information and policies, www.kittansett.org.

The Kittansett Club asks all players to have a basic knowledge and ability to play the game.

In case of inclement weather or course closed conditions, the event will not be rescheduled.

Lunch will be available at the halfway house.

Tri-Town Police Logs

MARION

Log highlights March 17-March 23

- Partridge Pl – Health/welfare
- Converse Rd – Medical emergency
- Chestnut St – Mutual aid
- Mill St – Civil complaint
- Front St – Brush fire
- Route 195 E– MV accident
- Cromesset Rd – Mutual aid
- Wareham Rd – Larceny/past
- Planting Island Rd – Suspicious MV
- Rezendes Ter - Fraud
- Converse Rd – General service
- Mill St – Medical emergency
- Rezendes Ter – Follow up
- Point Rd – Follow up investigation
- Delano Rd – Medical emergency
- Converse Rd – Suspicious person
- Sherman's Way – Suspicious MV
- Allen's Point Rd – Medical emergency
- Converse Rd – Animal complaint
- Wareham Rd – Follow up investigation
- Mill St – Suspicious MV
- Delano Rd – Medical emergency
- Quelle Ln – Medical emergency
- Wareham Rd – MV accident
- Mill St – A&B past/arrest
- Mill St - Medical emergency
- Mill St – Medical emergency
- Wareham Rd – Medical emergency
- Mill St – Medical emergency

MATTAPOISETT

Log highlights March 17–March 23

- Melanie Ln – Ambulance request
- North St – Officer wanted
- Barstow St – Medical assist
- Driscoll Ln – Brush fire
- North Rd – Officer wanted
- Acorn Ln – Stolen property
- Angelica Ave – Health/welfare
- Waterman St – Medical assist
- Baptist St – Ambulance request
- Waterman St – Medical assist
- Crook's Way – Health/welfare
- Marion Rd – Follow up investigation
- Justin Ave – Health/welfare
- Captain's Ln – Summons service
- Count Rd - Threats
- Tinkham Ln - Vandalism
- Fairhaven Rd – MV crash
- Fairhaven Rd - Vandalism
- County Rd - Disturbance
- County Rd – Health/welfare
- Marion Rd – Ambulance request
- Fairhaven Rd – Intoxicated party
- Homestead Ct - Threats
- Brandt Island Rd – Ambulance request
- Homestead Ct - Vandalism
- County Rd – Ambulance request
- County Rd – Drugs/narcotics
- Angelica Ave - Disturbance
- Water St – Noise complaint

ROCHESTER

Log highlights March 16-March 24

- County Rd – Ambulance request
- Braley Hill Rd – MV accident
- Perrys Ln – Suspicious activity
- Dexter Ln – Suspicious MV
- Bates Rd – Animal control
- Rte 195 Erratic operation
- North Ave – Ambulance request
- Stuart Rd – Animal control
- Snows Pond Rd – Suspicious activity
- Sarah Sherman Rd – MV accident
- New Bedford Rd - Complaint
- Cushman Rd – Carbon monoxide
- North Ave – MV accident
- Rounseville Rd- Larceny/forgery/fraud
- Snipatuit Rd – Animal control
- Dexter Ln – Officer wanted
- Robinson Rd – MV accident
- Rounseville Rd - Investigation
- Dexter Ln – Officer wanted
- Cranberry Hwy – Suspicious activity
- Snipatuit Rd – Officer wanted
- Pine St – MV accident
- Gerrish Rd – Ambulance request
- New Bedford Rd – Suspicious activity
- Marys Pond Rd – Transport/escort
- Hartley Rd – Ambulance request
- Marion Rd – Suspicious MV
- North Ave - Investigation
- Higginson Ln – Officer wanted

For a full PDF of the three town's police logs from the past week, including arrest reports, visit www.Wanderer.com.

Regional Lunch Menus

COASTLINE ELDERLY NUTRITION PROGRAM

Monday, April 1: Swedish meatballs, buttered noodles, Harvard beets, whole wheat bread, Manderin orange.
Tuesday, April 2: Beef stew w/vegetables, boiled potatoes, dinner roll, fruit cocktail.
Wednesday, April 3: Cream of carrot soup, oven fried chicken, au gratin potatoes, whole wheat roll, fresh fruit.
Thursday, April 4: American chop suey, mixed vegetables, wheat bread, peaches.
Friday, April 5: Seafood salad on a pita, pasta salad, cole slaw, cookie, graham wafer (diet).

CENTER SCHOOL

Monday, April 1: Crispy fish sticks, warm biscuit, cole slaw, ketchup, tartar sauce, fruit, milk.
Tuesday, April 2: Chicken tenders, lightly buttered noodles, chickpea salad, fruit, milk.
Wednesday, April 3: Cheese or pepperoni pizza, garden salad w/dressing, chocolate or vanilla pudding, fruit, milk.
Thursday, April 4: French toast sticks, light sausage links, potato rounds, warm apples w/cinnamon, maple syrup, fruit, milk.
Friday, April 5: Ham, egg and cheese bagel, sweet potato puffs, fruit, milk.

OLD HAMMONDTOWN

Monday, April 1: Crispy fish sticks, warm biscuit, cole slaw, ketchup, tartar sauce, fruit, milk.
Tuesday, April 2: Chicken tenders, lightly buttered noodles, chickpea salad, fruit, milk.
Wednesday, April 3: Cheese or pepperoni pizza, garden salad w/dressing, chocolate or vanilla pudding, fruit, milk.
Thursday, April 4: French toast sticks, light sausage links, potato rounds, warm apples w/cinnamon, maple syrup, fruit, milk.
Friday, April 5: Ham, egg and cheese bagel, sweet potato puffs, fruit, milk.

OLD ROCHESTER REGIONAL JUNIOR & SENIOR HIGH

Monday, April 1: Chicken nuggets, lightly buttered noodles, roasted sweet potato, broccoli salad, ketchup, sweet & sour sauce, fruit, milk.
Tuesday, April 2: French toast sticks, light sausage links, blueberry sauce, hashbrown, homemade apple crisp, maple syrup, fruit, milk.
Wednesday, April 3: Meatball sub, melted mozzarella cheese, steamed green beans, fresh garden salad w/dressing, fruit, milk.
Thursday, April 4: Beef tacos, lettuce, tomato, salsa, Spanish rice, spicy roasted chick peas, black bean salad, fruit, milk.
Friday, April 5: Mini burgers, cheese, lettuce, tomato, onion, pickle, roasted potato wedges, celery sticks, ketchup, mustard, fruit, milk.

ROCHESTER MEMORIAL

Monday, April 1: Crispy fish sticks, warm biscuit, cole slaw, ketchup, tartar sauce, fruit, milk.
Tuesday, April 2: Chicken tenders, lightly buttered noodles, chickpea salad, fruit, milk.
Wednesday, April 3: Cheese or pepperoni pizza, garden salad w/dressing, chocolate or vanilla pudding, fruit, milk.
Thursday, April 4: French toast sticks, light sausage links, potato rounds, warm apples w/cinnamon, maple syrup, fruit, milk.
Friday, April 5: Ham, egg & cheese bagel, sweet potato puffs, fruit, milk.

SIPPICAN SCHOOL

Monday, April 1: Crispy fish sticks, warm biscuit, cole slaw, ketchup, tartar sauce, fruit, milk.
Tuesday, April 2: Chicken tenders, lightly buttered noodles, chickpea salad, fruit, milk.
Wednesday, April 3: Cheese or pepperoni pizza, garden salad w/dressing, chocolate or vanilla pudding, fruit, milk.
Thursday, April 4: French toast sticks, light sausage links, potato rounds, warm apples w/cinnamon, maple syrup, fruit, milk.
Friday, April 5: Ham, egg & cheese bagel, sweet potato puffs, fruit, milk.

OLD COLONY REGIONAL

Monday, April 1: Breakfast: Egg & cheese sandwich w/fruit, milk. **Lunch:** Cacoila sandwich (pulled pork), cream of broccoli soup.
Tuesday, April 2: Breakfast: Waffles w/strawberries, milk. **Lunch:** Quesadilla, black bean, corn salad, salsa, sour cream.
Wednesday, April 3: Breakfast: Homemade coffee cake w/yogurt, fruit, milk. **Lunch:** Pancakes, sausage, apples & cinnamon, syrup.
Thursday, April 4: Breakfast: Cheese omelet, toast, home fries, milk. **Lunch:** Lasagna, green beans, garlic bread.
Friday, April 5: Breakfast: French toast w/sausage, sweet apples, milk. **Lunch:** Chicken patty, carrots, salad.

Mattapoisett Library News

• **Children's Art Exhibit** – An ongoing exhibit in the Children's Department of the Mattapoisett Library features mixed media self-portraits done by first graders in Mrs. Hughes' class. Art teacher Greta Anderson encouraged students from Center School to create art using a variety of materials to represent their vision of themselves. The public is welcome to enjoy the exhibit through the end of March.

• **Screening of *The Hunger Games*** – Students ages 13 and up are invited to a free showing of *The Hunger Games* on **Thursday, April 11** at 6:00 pm in the library's meeting room. Refreshments will be served. This event is part of the Teen Thursday series when the library is open on the second and fourth Thursday of the month for students only.

• **Poetry Month Activities** – On **Wednesday, April 3** at 6:30 pm, a screening of a documentary about award-winning poet Maria Mazziotti Gillan, "All That Lies Between Us," will be shown in the meeting room with a discussion to follow. Refreshments will be served.

Students are invited to create mixed media found poetry art on **Wednesday, April 10** from 4:00 to 5:00 pm. Please sign up by calling 508-758-4171 or email Liz Sherry at esherry@sailsinc.org. All supplies will be provided.

Children in grades two, three or four are invited to participate in a two-session Poetry Workshop with Sue Roylance during school vacation week. The first session will be held **Tuesday, April 16** from 1:00 to 3:00 pm and includes painting book covers and writing poems. The second session will be assembling handmade books and inserting original poems. Registration is required, so sign up soon to be part of this very special program. Limited to 12 students. Please call 508-758-4171 and speak with the children's library staff.

• **Author Alan Powers to Speak** – Professor Emeritus and author Alan Powers of Westport will speak on his book *The Worlds of Giodano Bruno: The Man Galileo Plagiarized* on **Tuesday, April 16** at 6:30 pm. Learn about this Italian philosopher, astronomer, mathematician and occultist whose theories anticipated modern science and who was burned at the stake in 1600 for his advanced

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Above and Left: The Rochester, Marion and Mattapoisett Fire Departments participated in live burn training exercises this past weekend on Rounseville Road in Rochester. Photos by Nicholas Waleka





Above and Left: Students ate the Marion Natural History After School Program learned about chemical reactions and colors during a tie-dye shirt-making session held this past week with UMass Dartmouth Chemistry Professor Tobey Dills. Photo courtesy of Elizabeth Leidhold

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knowledge of our world. Books will be available for purchase and signing.

• **Literary Agent to Speak About Publishing** – "You Wrote a Book, Now What?" Literary agent Jan Kardys of Black Hawk Literary Agency will present the ins and outs of publishing your manuscript, whether you want to self-publish or go the traditional route. Everyone is welcome to this free presentation on **Wednesday, April 17** from 6:30 to 8:00 pm in the library's meeting room. Registration is required because extensive packets of information will be distributed.

• **An Afternoon of Poetry** – Join the Friends of the Mattapoisett Library in welcoming three published poets who will read from their works on **Saturday, April 27** from 3:00 to 4:00 pm. Margot Wisansky, Grey Held and Alexis Ivy will read and offer a book signing. Refreshments will be served.

• **A Writer's Day Away – Sunday, April 28** from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm is set aside for serious writing. Poets and creative writers are welcome to a day of poetry discussion, workshops, and space and time to write. Continental breakfast and lunch is served. Registration is limited for this wonderful day of a free opportunity to write to your heart's content. Register by visiting the circulation desk or calling 508-758-4171.

• **April is National Autism Month** – Two books by local author and mom Anne Burnett are being offered for purchase in the children's room, with proceeds going





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A great time was had by all at the Annual Easter Egg Hunt at the Mattapoisett YMCA center on Saturday March 23. Children enjoyed egg dying, dancing, the Ester Bunny and of course the Egg Hunt! Photos by Felix Perez







Elementary students from Rochester Memorial School celebrate after a dominant performance in their Destination Imagination Regional Tournament. This weekend, they head to the Worcester Polytechnic Institute for the State Finals. The competition helps kids develop creativity, problem-solving, and teamwork skills.

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• **Birthday Party** – The Friends of the Mattapoisett Library are pleased to sponsor our Fourth Annual Birthday Party for the Mattapoisett Free Public Library; please join us on **Saturday, March 30** at 1:00 pm in the meeting room of the Library. A special appearance by Blossom the Clown. Come enjoy the fun magic show, cake will be served.

Gateway Youth Hockey Update

The Gateway Squirt Ice Wolves finished up their final round of the playoffs against the GYH Ireland team, winning 9-5. The game was a battle from the start and it wasn't until the third period when the Ice Wolves pulled away. Tyler Lovendale led the way, scoring with four goals and three assists. Quirino doCanto had two goals and three assists, while Chris Gauvin had a goal and three assists. Also chipping in with goals were Seth Tomasik and Robert Maloney. Thomas Galavotti had a strong day in net, making numerous tough saves. The Ice Wolves will battle GYH Ireland again in the Yankee Conference Squirt Championship on April 7, a 1:30 pm game at Hobomock Arena in Pembroke.

The middle school Vikings ended their regular season Friday night and are heading into the playoffs in first place. In a fast-moving game with almost no penalties, the boys put on a fine exhibition of passing and teamwork. Oliver Ames found the net first, but the team

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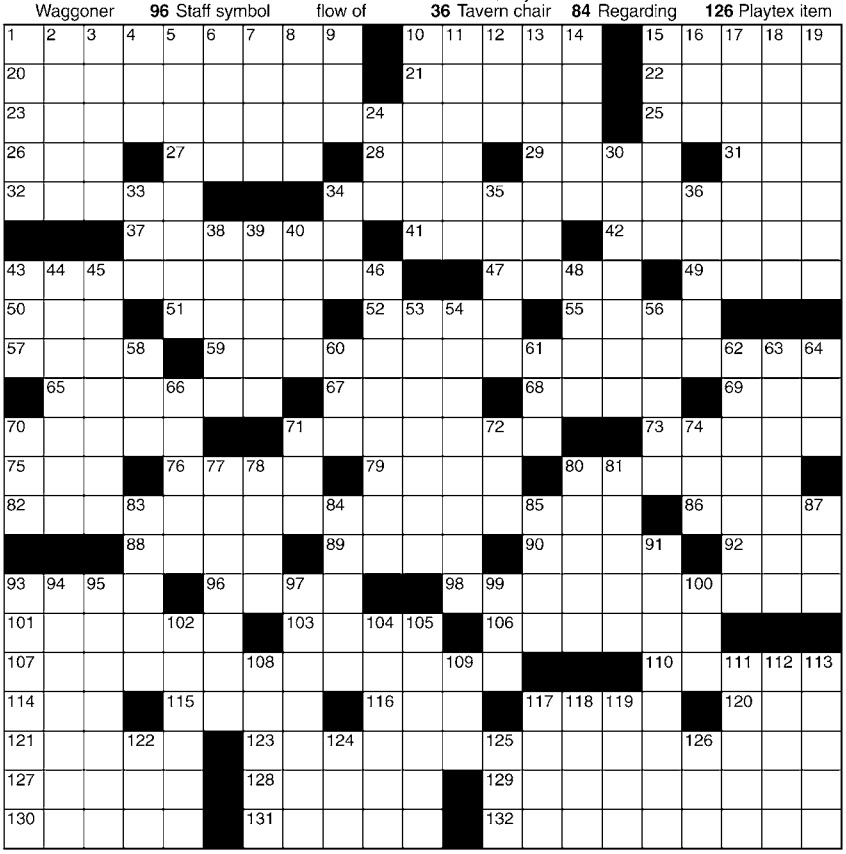
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70 Proclaims, biblically
71 Wicked
73 High-tech greeting
75 Flurry
76 "Friday Night Fights" airer
79 Idi of infamy
80 Car houser
82 People trying out covered wagons?
86 Turn to mush
88 Hammered item
89 Word repeated after "qué"
90 Big name in synthesizers
92 HDTV brand
93 Walked
96 Staff symbol
98 Silky fabric worn by a primate?
101 Stop up again, as a wine bottle
103 "S'il — plait"
106 Portable PC
107 Be cleverer than a famed candy man?
110 Ivy League Philly sch.
114 Simple card game
115 Spot for a mail slot
116 67-Across, in poetry
117 Neighbor of N. Dak.
120 "— do not!"
121 Conveyed via a conduit
123 They're hidden in seven long answers in this puzzle
127 Pianist's exercise
128 "The stage —"
129 Absolve
130 Turf again
131 Unfeeling
132 Velodrome competitions

DOWN

1 Block the flow of
2 A former Mrs. Trump
3 More tender
4 Singer Ocasek
5 He played TV's Al Bundy
6 Old El — (taco brand)
7 Shortened form, for short
8 Kovalchuk of the NHL
9 Salesperson, for short
10 Response to a great retort
11 "— Mucho" (1944 #1 hit)
12 Meyers of the screen
13 Every 30 days or so
14 Hollywood's Dickinson
15 Young haddocks
16 Color tone
17 Hiker's guide
18 Paraphrase
19 Dressed up fussily
24 Suffer
30 Sticky pine product
33 Diminish
34 Zodiac beast
35 Sterling silver, say
36 Tavern chair
38 Singer Crystal
39 Plant — of doubt
40 "Hey ... you"
43 Ton
44 Guacamole base
45 Hundred cubed
46 One next to you on a plane, e.g.
48 Soft throws
53 Plant that flowers
54 Act of retaliation
56 More cunning
58 Point
60 Hokey actor
61 Wiggling fish
62 Mental pictures
63 Electric razor brand
64 The Almighty
66 The Beatles' "— Woman"
70 Baglike part
71 Verb suffix
72 Pantry raider
74 Vid shooter
77 Stay with, as a decision
78 Gallup —
80 Aggregation
81 After — (kind of)
83 Fund
84 Regarding
85 Samms or Watson
87 Khaki
91 Fly ball's antithesis
93 Touring actor
94 Bring back together
95 Ink squirter
97 Earth's highest peak
99 Tarzan actor Ron
100 PC software
102 Relieved (of)
104 Golf tourney
105 Kind of pony or pooch
108 Pueblo builders
109 Prior to, in poetry
111 Computer of the 1940s
112 Nick of "Affliction"
113 Butler on "The Nanny"
117 Skirt type
118 "How are you?" reply
119 Goose of Hawaii
122 Tokyo, previously
124 Bear, in Madrid
125 Neighbor of S. Dak.
126 Playtex item



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SALOME'S STARS

ARIES (March 21 to April 19) Congratulations, Lamb. This is the week to finish your project and then bask in your well-earned approval. (And if you like, you also can say "bah" to all those detractors.)

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) The bold Bovine could find a new opportunity too intriguing to be ignored. But don't charge into it. Go slowly so you see how things develop as you get more involved.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) You might try to soften your stand on that important issue. A little more flexibility actually could get you what you're looking for. A new friend enters the picture midweek.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) Your inner voice is on the mark when it advises you to tackle that family problem now! The sooner you're able to come to terms with it, the better it will be for everyone.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) Someone reveals important news about a longtime associate. But before you decide how to deal with this information, make sure it's reliable, and not simply self-serving.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) Some intensive soul-searching early in the week can help you reach a decision by week's end that should please both you and the other person involved. Good luck.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) The possibility of a career change is intriguing. Learn more about what it can offer and what it cannot. Weigh everything carefully. And ask questions.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) Work is your priority this week as you try to make up for lost time. Expect help from someone who cares about you. Things take a welcome turn by the weekend.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) A health problem causes some anxiety early in the week. But prompt medical attention soon eases everyone's concerns. Enjoy an arts-filled weekend.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) As much as you might resent it, a changing situation could require you to adjust your plans accordingly. The good news: An associate agrees to cooperate.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) That old problem is finally resolved, just in time for you to take on a new work-related project. This one could be the super door-opener you've been looking for.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) The early part of the week presents some difficult hurdles. But once you get over them, you can start to focus on matters that are more important to you.

BORN THIS WEEK: You are respected for your honesty and your dedication to doing the right thing, no matter how difficult that might be.

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of Sean Kelso and Cam DeMarco immediately responded, as Kelso set up DeMarco for the first goal of the game at the eight-minute mark. DeMarco quickly returned the favor with an assist to Kelso, bringing the score to 2-1 Vikings. The rest of the game featured aggressive play from all of the Vikings as they fought off the determined Oliver Ames team and attempted to find the net again. The defense was at their best, with Alex Hathaway, Jacob Tomasik and Doug Breault supporting goalie AJ Bridges, who was outstanding in the net, making several key saves. Another standout was Jackson St. Don, who kept himself in scoring position, making several shots on net.

The second period was scoreless, but still exciting. Halfway through the second, goalie Teaghin Andre came in and was immediately put to work as Oliver Ames pelted him with shots. Matt Maloney, Jacob Westgate, Zach Lovendale and Will Paling kept up a similar assault on the other end. Nearing the end of the third, Kelso found the net once again, assisted by Matt Youlden. Faced with a certain loss but not giving up, Oliver Ames pulled their goalie and waged a six-man assault on the net. Goalie Andre was well up the challenge, relying on key defenseman Coleby Paling to help him keep the net safe. An unfortunate deflection at the eight-second mark did allow the opponents to see the scoreboard once again, but the Vikings were triumphant with a 3-2 win.

Afternoon of Poetry

The Friends of the Mattapoisett Library's annual Afternoon of Poetry will be held on **Saturday, April 27** from 2:00 to 4:00 pm at the Mattapoisett Free Public Library. Guests this year are Grey Held, Alexis Ivy and Margot Wizansky.

Grey Held holds a Bachelor of Science from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and a Master

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of Fine Arts from Temple University. He is a recipient of a National Endowment for the Arts Fellowship in Creative Writing and has been nominated for a Pushcart Prize. His first book, *Two-Star General*, was published by Brick Road Poetry Press. His second book, *Spilled Milk*, is being published by Word Press. His poem "Vending Machine" was set to music by Paul Carey and has been performed by a cappella groups all over the country. He has led poetry writing workshops for prisoners in the Northeastern Correctional Center in Concord, has lectured in art and design at Ohio State University, and is currently Director of Client Services at a research firm in Cambridge. He and his wife live in Newton, where they have raised two sons.

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TOWN OF MARION
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS
LEGAL NOTICE CASE #672

The Marion Zoning Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing at 7:30 p.m. on Thursday, April 11, 2013, in the Main Conference Room of the Marion Town House, on the application of Sean and Lisa Sweeney for a variance from section 5.1 of the zoning by-law to allow reconstruction of an existing non-conforming garage.

The property, located at 307 Converse Road, is further identified on Assessors' Plan 15 as Lot 44.

Zoning Board of Appeals
Eric V. Pierce, Interim Chairman 3/21, 3/28

TOWN OF MARION
INVITATION TO BID
PUBLIC NOTICE

The Town of Marion Board of Selectmen, acting through the Office of the Town Administrator and Chief of Procurement Officer, invites sealed bids from public or private bidders for the sale of miscellaneous surplus property including vehicles and related equipment. Bid documents may be obtained during normal business hours at the Selectmen's Office, Two Spring St., Marion, MA until 10:00 a.m. on Thursday, April 4, 2013 at which time such bids will be publicly opened and read aloud, The Town of Marion reserves the right to reject any and all proposals if it is in the best interest of the Town to do so.

Paul F. Dawson, CPO
Town Administrator 3/21, 3/28

TOWN OF MARION
BOARD OF SELECTMAN
PUBLIC NOTICE
Roadway and Utility Improvements
Capital Improvements Plan
Phase 1A
Project No. CWSRF 3792

Sealed Bids for construction of Capital Improvements Plan, Phase 1A will be received by the Town of Marion, Massachusetts at the office of the Board of Selectmen, Town Hall, 2 Spring Street, Marion, MA 02738 until 10:00 AM, Thursday, May 2, 2013 and at that time and place bids will be publicly opened and read aloud. The work of this Contract consists of roadway and utility improvements in South Street, Ryder Lane and a portion of Spring Street. The contract will be awarded to the responsive and responsible bidder offering the lowest price for the services specified in this Invitation to Bid.

Contract Documents may be examined and/or obtained at the office of CDM Smith Inc., 260 West Exchange Street, Suite 300, Providence, RI 02903 after 2:00 PM on Thursday, March 21, 2013. A deposit check of $100.00 payable to the Town of Marion will be required for each set of the Contract Documents. A refund of the deposit will be made for Documents returned in good condition within 60 days after the Bids are received. Any person requesting more than two sets will be required to pay a non refundable fee in the form of a separate check for each additional set in the amount of $100.00 per set.

Bidders requesting Contract Documents by mail shall include an additional non-refundable check payable to CDM Smith Inc. in the amount of $25.00 per set to cover costs of handling and mailing.

Each Bid shall be submitted in accordance with the Instructions to Bidders and shall be accompanied by a Bid Security in the amount of 5 percent of the Bid.

Minimum wage rates as determined by the Commissioner of Department of Workforce Development under the provisions of the Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 149, Section 26 to 27H, as amended, apply to this project. Federal Minimum Wage Rates as determined by the United States Department of Labor under the Davis-Bacon Act also apply to this project. Where there are conflicts, the higher rate shall be considered the minimum rate.

The bidding and award of this Contract will be under the provisions of M.G.L. Chapter 30, Section 39M of the General Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts as last revised.

The work under this Contract is funded in part by the Massachusetts Division of Water Pollution Abatement Trust (the "Trust"). Neither the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, nor the Trust is a party to this contract.

The work within this Contract is funded in part by "Chapter 90" funds. The MassDOT prequalifies contractors for horizontal construction in accordance with Massachusetts General Law Chapter 29, Section 8B and 720 CMR 5.00. All contractors must be prequalified by MassDOT prior to bidding on "Chapter 90" projects, so called, with an estimated construction value of $50,000 or more. All municipal "Chapter 90" projects are subject to the requirements of Massachusetts General Law Chapter 6C; Section 4(b) whereby each prospective bidder proposing to bid on any work (with an estimated construction value of $50,000 or more) to be awarded by a municipality must be prequalified by MassDOT prior to bidding. The two low bidders shall submit documentation of MassDOT prequalification for the Class of Work to be contemplated by the close of business on the third business day after bid opening. Failure to comply with this requirement may be deemed to render a proposal nonresponsive. No waiver of any provisions of this section will be granted unless approved by the MassDOT. Submittal of the Contractor's prequalifications form does not guarantee evidence of current prequalification status.

The work within this Contract is funded in part by a MassWorks Infrastructure Grant awarded through the Executive Office of Housing and Economic Development.

Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) goals are applicable to the total dollars paid to the construction contract. The Commonwealth of Massachusetts goals for this project are a minimum of 3.40 percent D/MBE participation and 3.80 percent D/WBE participation by certified DBEs. The MassWorks Infrastructure Program MBE and WBE goal is 10.4 percent combined MBE/WBE by State certified MBE and WBE firms and shall govern since the combined total participation percentage is higher than the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Goals. The Commonwealth of Massachusetts minimum percentage goals shall be considered when achieving the combined 10.4 percent participation required under the MassWorks Infrastructure Grant; when totaled, the MBE/WBE participation shall meet the 10.4 percent however, neither the MBE or WBE percentages shall be lower than the Commonwealth of Massachusetts goals. Failure to comply with the requirements of this paragraph may be deemed to render a proposal nonresponsive. No waiver of any provision of this section will be granted unless approved by the Department of Environmental Protection (MassDEP) and the MassWorks Infrastructure Grant Program.

All questions about the meaning or intent of the Contract Documents shall be received in writing by CDM Smith Inc., 260 West Exchange Street, Suite 300, Providence, RI 02903, Attn: Shawn Syde, Fax Number (401) 274-2173, e-mail sydest@cdmsmith.com, at least ten days before the date set herein for the opening of bids.

Award of Contract will be contingent on the Town's needs, appropriation, and availability of funds. The Owner reserves the right to waive any informality in or to reject any or all Bids if deemed to be in its best interest. 3/21, 3/28

TOWN OF ROCHESTER
PLANNING BOARD
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the Rochester Planning Board will conduct a public hearing on Tuesday, April 9, 2013 at 7:00 pm. In the Rochester Town Hall Conference Room regarding a Site Plan Review application pursuant to Section XVI of the Rochester Zoning By-Laws and prepared by G.A.F. Engineering, 266 Main Street, Wareham, MA 02571 for Robert J. and Ruth A. Sundby, 153 County Road, Rochester, MA 02770 to construct a 24' x 24' building to house a custom flower arrangement and picture frame business. The property is also identified as Assessor's Map 16, Lot 135 and is currently zoned Agricultural/ Residential.

The application and associated submittal documents are available for review at the Planning Board Office at the Rochester Town Hall Annex, 37 Marion Road between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Arnold Johnson, Chairman 3/21, 3/28

TOWN OF MARION
CONSERVATION COMMISSION
LEGAL NOTICE

The Marion Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, April 10, 2013 at 7:10 PM in the Town House conference room, 2 Spring Street, on a Request for Determination of Applicability #41D-1503 submitted by GREENWOOD HARTLEY III to remove invasive species and storm-damaged trees and branches at 19 Quelle Lane, shown as Lots 143, 150 and 150A on Marion Assessors' Plan 19. Plans are available at the Town House for review.

Sherman E. Briggs, Jr., Chairman 3/28

TOWN OF MARION
PLANNING BOARD
PUBLIC HEARING

The Marion Planning Board will hold a Public Hearing on Tuesday, April 16, 2013 at 5:10 p.m. in the Main Conference Room of the Marion Town House, Two Spring Street to consider the Special Permit application of Copper Medal, LLC c/o N. Douglas Schneider & Associates, Inc. under Sections 2.3.3, 4.2 and 7.2; 7.4.5, 7.4.6 and 8.5.4 of the Marion Zoning Bylaw to allow the construction of a residential "Association Pier" to serve multiple single family dwellings. The property is located at 125 and 129 Converse Road and is identified on Marion Assessor's Map as Plat 17, Lot 46D.

Frank (Jay) Ryder III, Chairman
Patricia McArdle, Vice-Chairman 3/28, 4/4

Alexis Ivy is a student of Literature at Harvard University's Extension School and works at the family wallpaper business in the bookmaking department located on the South Shore. Her recent work has appeared in Spare Change News, The Dos Passos Review, Tar River Poetry, Licking River Review and J Journal, among others. Her first book entitled *Romance with Small-Time Crooks* has just been published by BlazeVox Books and is literally hot off the press.

Margot Wizansky is an artist, poet and social worker. She and her husband founded a business developing and managing households for adults with disabilities. Her poems have appeared in many journals such as Poetry East, Lumina, Tar River Poetry, and in several anthologies, including *Beyond Forgetting: Poetry and Prose about Alzheimer's Disease*. She has a poem forthcoming in the Cancer Poetry Project's second anthology. She edited two anthologies: *Mercy of Tides: Poems for a Beach House*, 2003, and *Rough Places Plain: Poems of the Mountains*, 2006. In 2008, she won the Writers @ Work Poetry Fellowship competition, and in 2010, the Patricia Dobler Poetry Prize, to travel and write in Ireland with the Carlow University Master of Fine Arts program. She also transcribed an oral history: *Don't Look Them In The Eye: Love, Life, and Jim Crow*, the story of Emerson Stamps, grandson of slaves, told in his prose and her poems.

Take some time to add some poetry to your life with the Friends. Books will be available for purchase and signing, and refreshments will be served.

Marion Fireworks Beach Party Gala

Help rekindle the Marion Fourth of July Fireworks by buying a ticket to the event of the season! On **Saturday, April 6** there will be a Beach Party Gala at the Marion Music Hall from 7:00 pm to 12:00 am with a DJ, cash bar, raffle and auction, plus fabulous food from The Wave, Uncle Jon's, Kool Kone, Turk's Seafood and Gail's Goodies. Tickets can be purchased at the Marion General Store and at the Marion Recreation Office on Atlantis Drive.

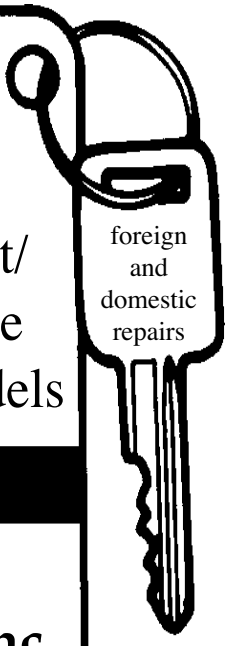
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LEGAL NOTICES

TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT
CONSERVATION COMMISSION
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Mattapoisett Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Monday, April 8, 2013 at 6:30 p.m. in the Town Hall on the Request for A Determination of Applicability submitted by Mattapoisett YMCA – YMCA Southcoast, 38 Reservation Road, Mattapoisett, MA 02739.

The proposed project is to restore sand embankment in front of Mattapoisett Y Shining Tides/house. Planting area 24' x 270' of American Beach Grass – AMBR. The project is located at 38 Reservation Road Mattapoisett, and is further identified as Lot 011-0-0000 o Assessor Map 0170.0 3/28

TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT
CONSERVATION COMMISSION
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Mattapoisett Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Monday, April 8, 2013, at 6:30 p.m. in The Mattapoisett Town Hall, 16 Main Street, Mattapoisett, MA 02739 on the Notice of Intent submitted by the Town of Mattapoisett for a proposed pavement overlay of West Hill Road in Mattapoisett, Massachusetts. 3/28

TOWN OF MARION
CONSERVATION COMMISSION
LEGAL NOTICE

The Marion Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, April 10, 2013 at 7:20 PM in the Town House conference room, 2 Spring Street, on a Notice of Intent submitted by the Town of Marion, c/o the Department of Public Works, to conduct Phase 1A of the Capital Improvements Plan which includes drainage, sewer and roadway improvements to Ryder Lane and South Street, and a portion of Spring Street, Front Street and Water Street. The sites are further identified as Lots 12, 37A and 44 on Marion Assessors' Plan 13, and Lot 179 on Marion Assessors' Plan 16. Plans are available at the Town House for review.
Sherman E. Briggs, Jr., Chairman 3/28

TOWN OF MARION
BOARD OF HEALTH
LEGAL NOTICE

The Marion Board of Health will conduct a public hearing on Tuesday, April 9, 2013 at 4:45 p.m. in the Main Conference Room of the Marion Town House on the variance request submitted by N. Douglas Schneider & Associates, Inc., pertaining to the property located at 10 Holly Road, further identified as Map 2, Lot 19.

The following variance is requested to Title 5 of the State Environmental Code and the Marion Sanitary Code Local Upgrade Approval:

310 CMR 15.212 Depth to Groundwater: To allow the soil absorption system to be 3 feet above the groundwater table, rather than 4 feet.
Marion Board of Health
Albin R. Johnson III, Chairman 3/28, 4/4

TOWN OF MARION
PLANNING BOARD
PUBLIC HEARING

On Tuesday April 16, 2013, the Marion Planning Board will hold a public hearing pursuant to the requirements of G.L. c.40A, s.5 regarding two proposed amendments to the Zoning Bylaw and a corresponding amendment to the Zoning Map. The first proposed amendment is to create a new section of the Zoning Bylaw entitled "Solar Bylaw" as revised Section 16. Said new section would permit, both by right (for Systems with a maximum collector area of 600 square feet or a combined collector area of 900 square feet) and by special permit, the installation of roof and ground mounted solar PV systems throughout the Town of Marion subject to the requirements as specified in the Bylaw's text.

The second proposed amendment is to create a new zoning district numbered as Section 8.13 of the Zoning Bylaw and entitled "Municipal Solar Overlay District" together with corresponding revisions to Section 4.2 of the Zoning Bylaw and Zoning Map. Said new zoning district would permit, without need for a special permit, ground mounted solar PV systems subject to requirements as specified in the Bylaw's text and being limited in application to Lots 8, 9, 9C and 9D on Assessor's Map 24.

The public hearing will be held at the Marion Town House, 2 Spring Street, Marion, Massachusetts at 5:15pm in the Conference Room. The public is invited to attend and be heard on these proposals and may inspect the full text of these proposals during normal business hours at the Office of the Town Clerk or Planning Board.
Frank (Jay) Ryder III, Chairman
Patricia McArdle, Vice-Chairman 3/28, 4/4

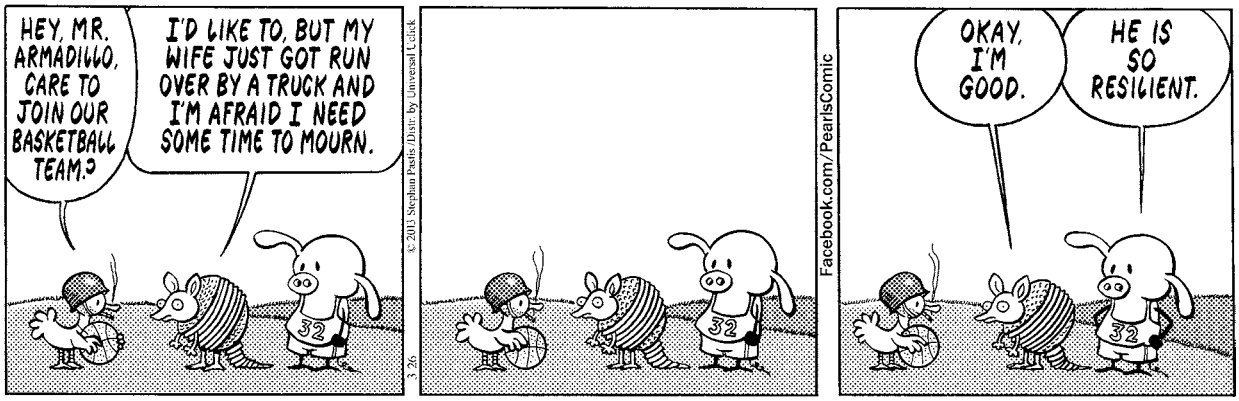
SPORTS QUIZ
By Chris Richcreek

1. Who holds the major-league record for most Gold Gloves awarded to a catcher?
2. The 1933 New York Yankees had nine future Hall of Famers on the roster. Name six of them.
3. Who threw the longest pass in Notre Dame football history?
4. Name the last Milwaukee Bucks player before Ersan Ilyasova in 2012 to have at least 25 points and 25 rebounds in a game.
5. When was the last time the Toronto Maples Leafs won a series in the NHL playoffs?
6. In 2012, Gabby Douglas became the third consecutive U.S. athlete to win the women's Olympic all-around gymnastics title. Who were the previous two?
7. Which golfer has made the most appearances in the Ryder Cup?

Answers
1. Ivan Rodriguez, with 13.
2. Earle Combs, Bill Dickey, Lou Gehrig, Lefty Gomez, Tony Lazzeri, Herb Pennock, Red Ruffing, Babe Ruth and Joe Sewell.
3. Blair Kiel completed a pass for 96 yards in 1981.
4. Swen Nater had 30 points and 33 rebounds against Atlanta in 1976.
5. It was 2004.
6. Carly Patterson (2004) and Nastia Liukin (2008).
7. Nick Faldo, with 11.

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"Fancy Pants" and Summer Sports Gear Sale

The SouthCoast Children's Chorus will host a "Fancy Pants" and Summer Sports Gear Sale on **Saturday, April 6** at St. Gabriel's Church, 142 Front Street in Marion. The clothing sale will feature gently-worn dress clothes for girls and boys, baseball, softball and lacrosse equipment, and other summer sports gear, such as rollerblades, boogie boards and rash guards. All items will be priced under $20. The sale will run from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm, alongside a bake sale. All proceeds will benefit the SouthCoast Children's Chorus.

V.A.S.E. 5K Fun Run

The first Sippican Schooner 5K Fun Run (sponsored by V.A.S.E., Volunteers at Sippican Elementary) is scheduled for **Sunday, May 5** at 10:15 am. All proceeds will benefit the many enrichment programs that are offered throughout the school year. The starting line will be in front of Tabor Academy's Baxter House on Front Street and the finish line will be at Hoyt Field. Registration may be done online at www.millenniumreg.com/vase-sippican-schooner-5k-fun-run or mailed to V.A.S.E. at Sippican School, 16 Spring Street, Marion, Massachusetts, 02738. Registration is $15 per runner with checks made payable to V.A.S.E. The registration deadline is **May 1**. After May 1 and on the day of the race, the registration fee is $20 per person. The first 300 registered runners are guaranteed a t-shirt. Sponsors for the race are also welcome. For more information, please contact the V.A.S.E. office at vase@orr.med.edu or call Diana at 781-589-7164.

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Friday, March 29, 12:00 to 3:00 pm – Good Friday
The Chapel will be open for contemplation, prayer, and reflection on Christ's crucifixion. Quiet music will be playing, and texts will be available to guide your devotion.

•7:00 pm, Good Friday Liturgy

Sunday, March 31 – Feast of the Resurrection/ Easter Sunday

• 5:30 am, Ecumenical Sunrise Service at Silvershell Beach, Marion

• 8:00 am, Holy Eucharist, Rite I in the Chapel with spring flowers, organ and Eastern Ocean Brass Ensemble

• 10:00 am, Holy Eucharist, Rite II in the Church with spring flowers, organ, brass ensemble, timpani, Handbell Choir, Chancel Choir, Cherub Choir

Easter at Plumb Corner

Come celebrate Easter at Plumb Corner on **Saturday, March 30** at 10:00 am. No need to bring your own baskets, bags will be provided to decorate for the Easter egg hunt. Hayrides will be at 11:00 am and there will be prizes, cookie decorating and face painting.

Rochester Women's Club Scholarship Dance

In 1945, The Rochester Women's Club started the Raymond C. Hartley Scholarship in memory of a Rochester boy who lost his life in World War II. Throughout the years, many youngsters have been recipients of this annual scholarship. After a hiatus of several years, the club is reviving scholarship awards for the graduating class of 2013. Members are also reviving a tradition of dances as fundraisers.

The First Annual Scholarship Dance will take place from 7:00 pm to 12:00 am on **Saturday, May 4** at the Redmen's Hall, Main Street in Wareham. Music will be provided by local favorites, The Relics. Refreshments will be available. Tickets ($10/person) are available from Rochester Women's Club members or by calling Ann Cambra at 508-763-2688. Don't miss out on this fun and worthwhile event.

Two $500 scholarships will be awarded this year to graduating Rochester high school seniors. Applications are available in local high school guidance offices (Old Colony, ORR, Bishop Stang, Bristol Aggie). If you are a Rochester resident and do not go to one of these schools but would like to apply, please contact the Rochester Women's Club for an application (call Wendy at 508-314-9567). Applications are due at guidance offices no later than the last day of school prior to the April school vacation. The scholarships will be awarded at the schools' awards ceremony.





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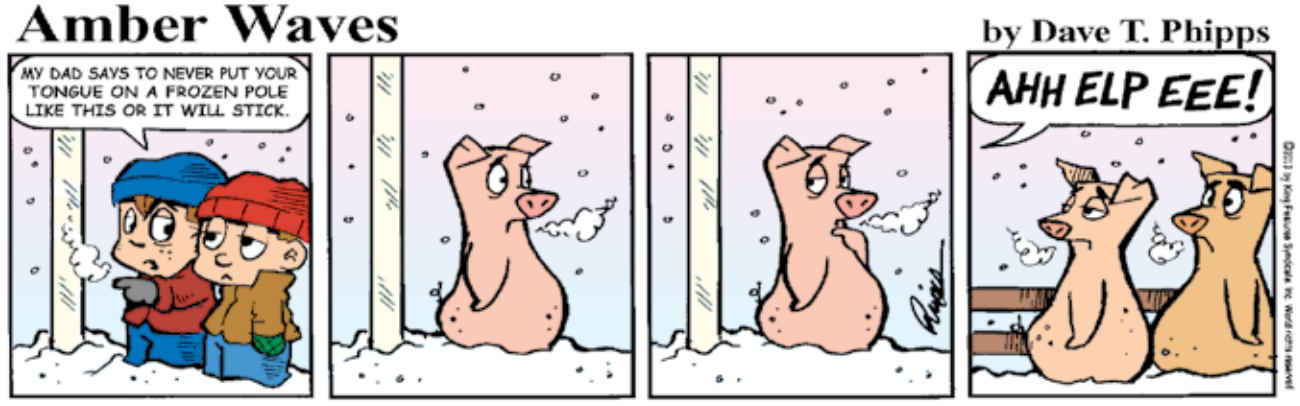
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Mattapoisett Recreation Spring Session

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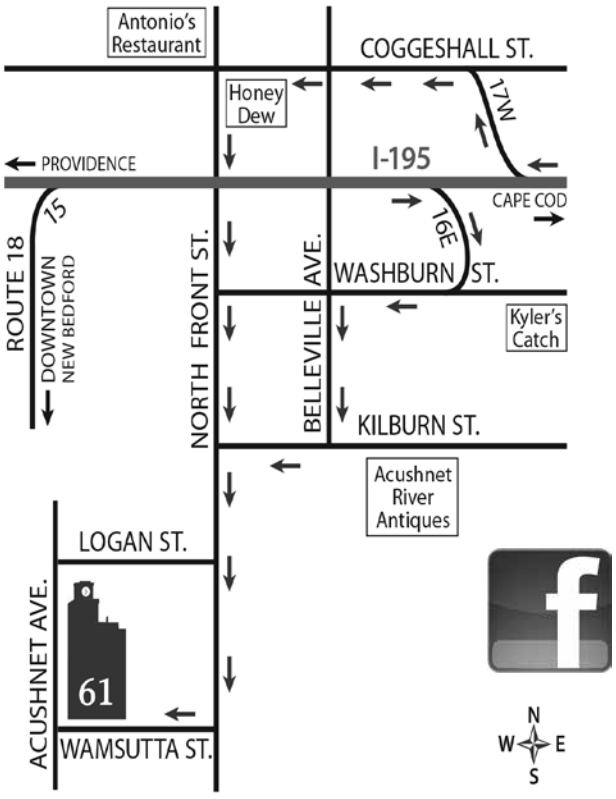
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Liam Patrick Murray	March 30
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Colin Surdam	March 31
Robert R. Bolduc	March 31
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Mildred Souza	April 1
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New program – From the Couch to the Mattapoisett 5-Miler Training Program, Instructor, Jessica Cavaco, LMT and active local runner, member of NB Track, 12-week program for Adults (18 and over). Dates: April 8 – June 27, Monday and Wednesday from 6:15 to 7:00 am. Cost: $125 per person. Classes will meet at 76 County Road in Mattapoisett.

This program is designed for adults who are new to running or have taken time away from running and are ready to start up again. It is also for those who have never felt comfortable beyond the 5K races. Jessica will teach the seven running essentials, common running mistakes, proper gear, importance of hydration, how to train safely and effectively, pre/post warm up stretches, tips for pre-race jitters and self care. Come join us, get outside, off the couch, meet new people, have fun and get in shape. Before starting this or any serious exercise program, please consult with your physician to ensure readiness to participate.

Mattapoisett Recreation Department encourages hearing feedback and suggestions on future programs. Contact mattrec@mattapoisett.net. To register for either of these programs, go to town website: www.mattapoiset.net and scroll down to Mattrec events. Phone call inquiries: 508-758-4100, ext. 227.

An Evening with Chip Osborne

Please join the Marion Garden Group for "An Evening with Chip Osborne" on **Tuesday, April 2** at 7:00 pm at the Marion Music Hall, Front Street. Admission is $5 per guest and the event is open to the public. Guest speaker and organic industry guru Chip Osborne, of Osborne Organics in Marblehead, will share his wealth of knowledge about organic lawn, garden and grounds maintenance. Chip Osborne will discuss some compelling reasons why we should consider a natural approach to lawn care. Public health, children's health, storm-water runoff and water quality issues are all reasons why we should begin to reduce our dependence on synthetic and chemical products to grow our lawns and gardens. Chip will then present "Simple Steps to Organic Lawn Care," a detailed approach to a natural lawn care program. Basic steps will be outlined and explained in a common-sense approach.

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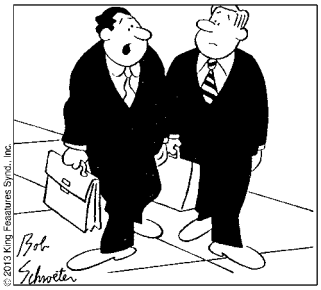
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South Coast Bikeway Committee is a consortium of South Coast towns who meet monthly with other regional advocates of a regional bikeway, including SRPEDD, Voices for a Healthy South Coast, Mass in Motion Fall River and Mass in Motion New Bedford.

Machacam Club

The Machacam Club will hold their April meeting on **April 3** at the Legion Hall, 3 Depot Street. Social time is 5:30 pm with dinner at 6:00 pm.

Our speaker for this month will be Barry Denham, Highway Superintendent. Barry will review current and planned highway projects. Upkeep of the road system in town is a high priority which Barry takes quite seriously. His comments should be of great interest.

Callers and members are asked to bear in mind the importance of call list accuracy. Caller lists should be done and reported no later than 9:00 am on April 1 by email to gpfnr@aol.com or by phone to Mike at 508-758-9311. Members with requests or changes can contact either no later than 9:00 am on April 2.

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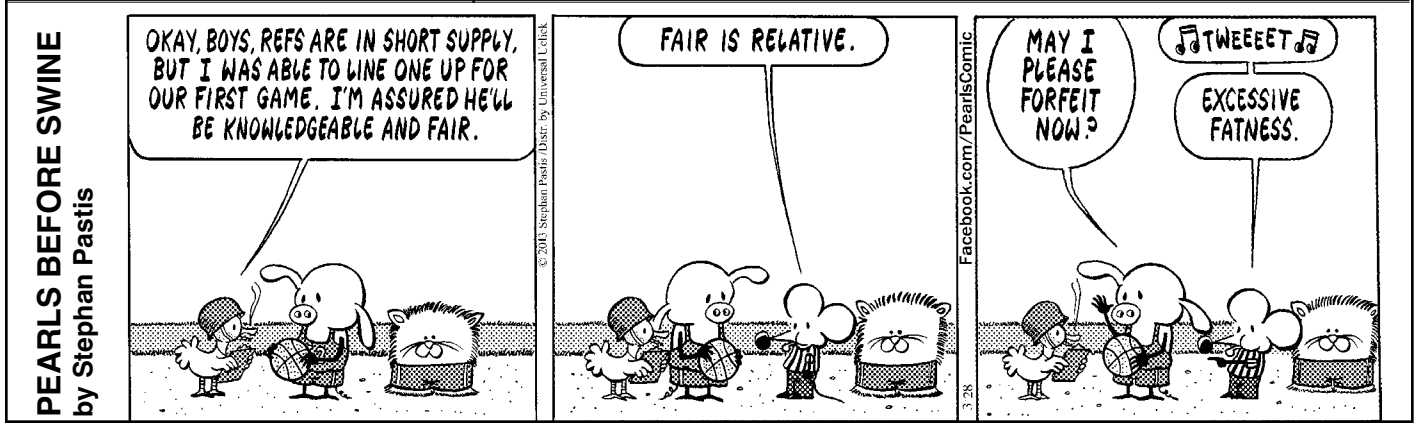
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and slides some of the animals that rely on vernal pools for survival. On Saturday, April 6 at 9:00 am, she'll lead the investigation of one of the MLT's vernal pools; the site will be determined by the weather conditions. The state forms for certifying vernal pools will be provided to all participants so that they can learn how to properly complete the forms that are part of the Commonwealth's Natural Heritage and Endangered Species Program. This will be a wonderful opportunity for parents and children to learn together about the wetlands of Mattapoisett and how they can help protect them for future generations.

Both events are free and open to all, including residents of other towns. Attendance at the presentation is not required for participation in the field visit on Saturday. Anyone interested in discovery should meet at Dunseith Gardens (the Seahorse property) Saturday morning at 8:45 am. For more information, call 508-317-5932 or email info@mattlandtrust.org.

Join Gateway Youth Hockey

Gateway Youth Hockey is looking for any experienced ice hockey players interested in developing and maintaining skill and fitness levels during the summer months. The development team will compete in the Hobomock Arenas Summer Youth Hockey League. The team will skate 10 practices and play 10 weeknight games from June to August. The roster is limited to 15 skaters and 2 goalies. The cost includes game jersey and is $350 per skater, $315 for goalies and/or siblings. Players must be USA Hockey registered and have a birthdate of 2001 or younger. Contact coach Kevin Woodward, USA Hockey CEP Level 3, at cptjnz@yahoo.com or 508-789-6143.

Sippican Lands Trust News

The Sippican Lands Trust (SLT) is proud to announce that local resident Robin Shields has been hired as their new Executive Director. She and her family recently relocated back to Marion after living 13 years in nearby Fairhaven. Robin brings energy and enthusiasm, a degree in the field of natural resource management and a strong connection to the community to her work at SLT.

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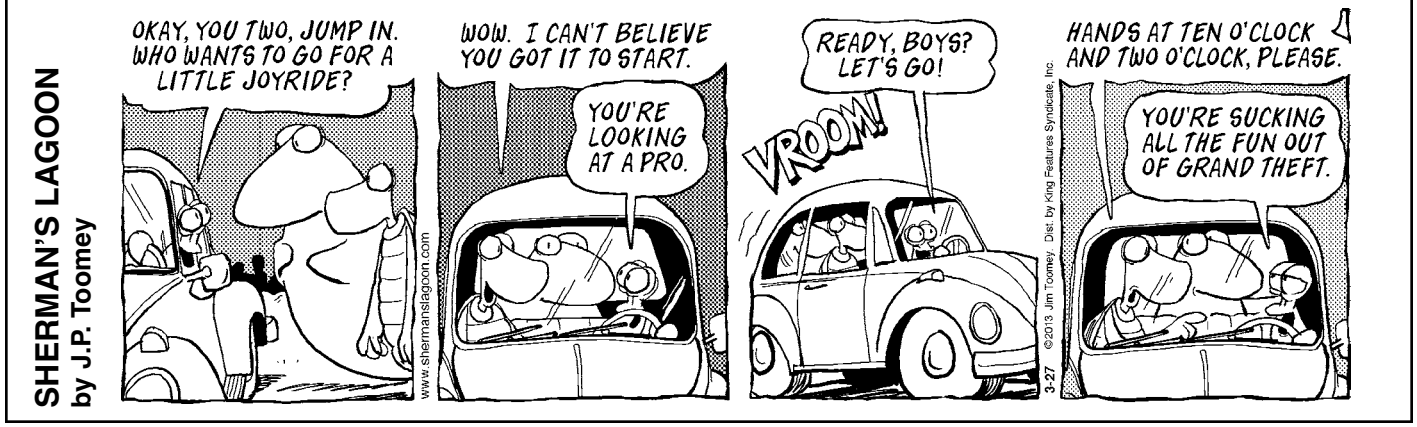
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For more information, call 508-748-3080 or email robinshields@sippicanlandstrust.org.

Annual Town-Wide Cleanup

Hello Fellow Marionites! Please take note that this year's Annual Town-Wide Cleanup will be on **Saturday, May 11** from 9:00 am to 12:00 pm. (Meet at the Music Hall.) As usual, we are partnering with Gifts to Give, who will have a truck ready to collect used clothing, toys and books. The sponsors are Marion's Tree and Parks Committee, the Sippican Lands Trust, the Sippican Historical Society, the Marion Garden Group, the Natural History Museum and the Marion DPW. Goods will be donated by Harriet's, Sperry Sails, Lockheed Martin, Uncle Jon's, and Rose and Vicki's. Traditionally, the Boy and Girl Scout Troops participate, as well as students and faculty from ORR, Sippican Elementary School, and Tabor Academy, along with townspeople and families. We eagerly await their participation again this year.

We have some added features, too. Tabor Academy is going to preview the event by doing a section of town as a whole school the week before. Also, select participants, organized by Jody and the Recreation Commission, will focus on Route 6 and the 195 ramps in hopes of really cleaning up our winter's debris. To ensure safety for young and old alike, Chief Lincoln Miller is offering to bring out officers to accompany volunteers. Of course, we shall also be assigning town parks, cemeteries and roads to the many volunteers who come to participate. The DPW trucks will be on hand to collect filled bags and build Trash Mountain at Island Wharf.

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We eagerly await participation from all families and citizens of Marion as well as area businesses and civic organizations. You shall be hearing more details in the coming weeks ahead!

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The production will take place on **April 3 and 4** from 7:00 to 8:30 pm at the Old Rochester Regional Junior High School.

Real Estate Transactions

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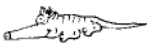
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Local Tides

Date	Day	High a.m.	High p.m.	Low a.m.	Low p.m.
March 28:	Thurs.	9:20	9:42	2:51	2:54
March 29:	Fri.	10:06	10:30	3:34	3:33
March 30:	Sat.	10:56	11:21	4:18	4:15
March 31:	Sun.	11:49	. . .	5:04	5:01
April 1:	Mon.	12:16	12:45	5:46	5:42
April 2:	Tues.	1:04	1:34	7:00	6:54
April 3:	Wed.	2:17	2:47	8:39	8:23
April 4:	Thurs.	3:20	3:51	10:07	10:17
April 5:	Fri.	4:27	4:56	11:03	11:26
April 6:	Sat.	5:30	5:56	11:45	. . .
April 7:	Sun.	6:27	6:49	12:18	12:20
April 8:	Mon.	7:17	7:36	1:02	12:52
April 9:	Tues.	8:02	8:19	1:40	1:25
April 10:	Wed.	8:45	9:01	2:15	1:59
April 11:	Thurs.	9:26	9:41	2:49	2:36
April 12:	Fri.	10:07	10:20	3:24	3:14
April 13:	Sat.	10:48	10:59	4:00	3:52
April 14:	Sun.	11:30	11:39	4:36	4:32

Phases of the Moon

Last Quarter	April 2nd
New Moon	April 10th
First Quarter	April 18th
Full Moon	April 25th



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Each week, hidden somewhere in the pages of *The Wanderer* is a tiny drawing of an aardvark. The little guy you are looking for looks exactly like the one pictured above (but don't put down this page as your answer, there's another one hidden somewhere in this issue).

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In the March 21, 2013 issue the Aardvark was on page 44!

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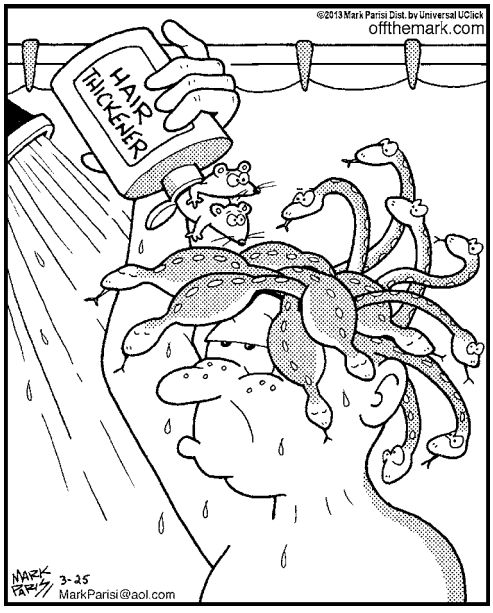
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Sudoku Answer

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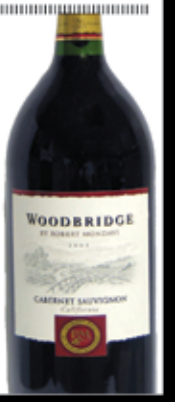


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(Includes free safety check)
*most vehicles

No Appointment Necessary
Inspection Stickers
2 Inspectors on Duty!

Transmission Rebuilds
$1,500-$2,000 with 1 year warranty - Free estimates

FREE ESTIMATES!

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Heater Repairs